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ROME EXPECTS MANY ABYSSINIAN CHIEFTAINS TO DESERT

Arms Embargo Against Italy



A new picture of Sir Henri Detering, the European oil magnate, who, it is reported, stands to gain by the dropping of the American oil concessions in Ethiopia and by an arrangement whereby his companies will supply Italy with much-needed oil for her conflict with Ethiopia.

FINANCIAL QUESTION UNDER REVIEW

U.S. NEUTRALITY ACT ONLY BUGBEAR

ROME NOT UNDULY ALARMED

Geneva, To-day.

The co-ordinating sub-committee has unanimously decided to lift the embargo on arms and munitions in favour of Abyssinia, but to apply the embargo to Italy. Hungary abstained from voting.

When it meets to-day the financial sub-committee will recommend banning all financial accommodation to Italy.

The co-ordinating committee has established a sub-committee composed of British, French, Greek, Dutch, South African, Rumanian and Polish delegates to deal with financial questions and to tighten up any question of loans to Italy.

Another sub-committee, consisting of Britain, France, Russia and Spain, will examine the question of armaments and key products.

On the suggestion of Mr. Roosevelt it was unanimously agreed that the arms embargo should include any contract already in operation.

It was pointed out that the Roosevelt list was adopted for practical considerations as it seemed to afford the most effective and convenient list that might be included in the embargo.

U.S. NOT LIFTING EMBARGO

Washington: The State Secretary, Mr. Cordell Hull, states that the Neutrality Act prevents the United States from following the League's example of lifting the embargo on arms to Abyssinia.

MR. EDEN'S BROADCAST

So far there has been no dailying, declared Mr. Anthony Eden, broadcasting to British listeners on the work of the League. Already 50 nations have given practical expression to their desire to bring the war to an end. "We cannot afford to delay," he said, "when men are being killed and homes shattered. Nowhere would there be more rejoicing than in Britain if Italy were to turn to ways of peace, but we have undertaken solemn obligations from which we shall not shrink. A prompt beginning has been made and, as far as the British Government is concerned, as we have begun so we shall persevere."

"NOT UNDULY ALARMED"

Rome: "We have been for a long time preparing to meet the effects of sanctions and therefore are not unduly alarmed," *Reuter* has been informed in an authoritative quarter.

His informant added: "Armaments manufacturers will have to sell on credit as we do not suppose there is much money in Abyssinia."—*Reuter*.

ALBANIA'S OBJECTION

Geneva: The League Assembly held another plenary meeting yesterday at which it was decided

that the Assembly will adjourn and not dissolve so that it may be called upon at short notice in case of an emergency, especially since the majority of the members are remaining here to take part in the deliberations of the Co-ordinating Committee.

The sitting was attended by Baron Aloisi, the Italian delegate, who later in the afternoon left for Rome.

The session opened with a short address by the Albanian delegate, who, somewhat belatedly, expressed the desire to make a statement.

He declared that Albania was willing to remain loyal to the League, but, owing to her close political and economic relations with Italy, she regretted that she would be unable to co-operate in the measures decided upon by the League.

President Benes in a closing speech pointed out that 50 member States had agreed and four—Austria, Hungary, Albania and Italy—had objected to the Council's decision.

He concluded on a conciliatory note by expressing the hope that the two parties to the dispute may soon avail themselves of the Council's good offices for the purpose of restoring peace.

THREE RESOLUTIONS

Geneva: The draft recommendations of the first sanction drawn up by the Committee of Sixteen have already been adopted by the plenary Co-ordinating Committee. It has been decided that those States which already have an embargo on the export of arms to Italy and Abyssinia shall lift the embargo as regards Abyssinia. Secondly, the remaining States shall institute an embargo on the delivery of arms to Italy. Thirdly, all States, in imposing or retaining the embargo to Italy, shall adopt the list of munitions embodied in the "Neutrality Bill" passed by the United States Congress last August, enumerating the arms and other commodities falling under the American embargo on exports to the belligerents.

The Committee has set up a Sub-Committee for examining the "Roosevelt List" with a view to its eventual extension. As regards the arms and munitions embargo it is not proposed at present to institute any form of control. On the British delegate's initiative the financial Sub-Committee will meet to-day in order to examine the questions of the prohibition of loans of any kind, including ordinary commercial

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Last month's war manoeuvres in Northern Italy brought King Victor Emmanuel and Premier Mussolini together, for one of their rare duo public appearances. While King Victor Emmanuel is still the king the world recognises Premier Mussolini as the real ruler of Italy.

EARTHQUAKE IN RUSSIA

50 Killed And 300 Injured In Tsvetkova Region

Moscow, To-day.

Fifty persons were killed and over 300 injured in an earthquake in the Tsvetkova region of Tadzhikistan on Tuesday.

All communications have been destroyed. The Government has established a commission to help the victims of the catastrophe. Doctors and supplies have been sent.—*Reuter*.

LONGSHOREMEN'S STRIKE

GRAVE SITUATION IN U.S.

NEW YORK SHIPPING MAY BE PARALYSED

Houston, Texas, To-day.

The eleven-days-old strike of longshoremen at the ports of Alabama and Florida is spreading further along the east coast, 3,000 longshoremen, mainly from ports in Texas, joining the strike yesterday, according to the International Longshoremen's Association of New York, the officials of which declare that within 10 days New York shipping will be paralysed unless a satisfactory settlement is reached.

The strike, which at present covers all the gulf ports of Texas, originated in New Orleans on a question of wages and recognition of the dockers' unions.—*Reuter*.

NEW COMMISSIONER OF METROPOLITAN POLICE

London, to-day.—The new Commissioner of Metropolitan Police, Air Vice-Marshal Sir Philip Game, who was Governor of New South Wales between 1930 and the present year, will take over his new duties from the present Commissioner, Lord Trenchard, on November 12.—*British Wireless Service*.

OLYMPICS LAST VOYAGE

London, To-day.—The 45,439-ton White Star liner *Olympic* left Southampton yesterday evening on her last voyage to the ship-breaking yard at Yarrow. The ships in harbour sounded their sirens in salute as she passed. The *Olympic* was the largest British-built vessel afloat before the launch of the *Queen Mary*.—*British Wireless Service*.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fine to cloudy, with moderate to fresh, north-easterly winds, was the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

CONSOLIDATION ON NORTHERN FRONT

OFFENSIVE STATIONARY ON SOMALI FRONT

REPORTED CAPTURE OF UAL UAL

Rome, To-day.

The news of the desertion of two Abyssinian chieftains has been received with great satisfaction in Rome and is regarded as the first-fruit of the Italian policy to win over sections of the population to the Italian side as the Italian advance proceeds. The streams of desertion to the Italians are expected to increase.

Simultaneously with the military operations political officers will begin to try to persuade the Abyssinians of the advantage of Italian rule.

News from East Africa indicates that the Italian troops are consolidating their lines of communications on the northern front, where another advance will not be made for a fortnight.

The offensive appears to be stationary on the Somali front, where the Italians are on the defensive, while there is no news from the southern Eritrean front, where the Italian column which occupied Mount Mousa Ali is proceeding in the direction of the Djibouti-Addis Ababa Railway.

ALARMING REPORT

Asmara: It is officially announced that the powerful chieftain, Haile Selassie, ruler of Makale in the region of Eritrea, has deserted to Italy with 12,000 men and 12,000 rifles and 100 machine-guns.

Ras Seyoum has reappeared to the East of Adowa and is reported to be heading a considerable force of Abyssinian irregulars and menacing the Italian line of communications.

PLANE SHOT DOWN

Addis Ababa: It is officially announced that the Issa tribesmen reported the shooting down of an Italian aeroplane near Deidorra. The crew were shot.

It is reported, from Deridawa that the Abyssinians have captured Ual Ual and Wardair.

CONSUL DENIED AUDIENCE

Addis Ababa: The Emperor has refused to receive the Italian Consul, Signor Vinci, who had requested an audience before leaving the country.—*Reuter*.

HEAVY FIGHTING

Addis Ababa: The reported vigorous Abyssinian counter-offensive against Adowa appears to have developed into a violent battle for the possession of the other positions along the northern front now occupied by the Italians, and was accompanied by heavy losses on both sides.

Many rumours are current that Ras Seyoum's troops have taken a great number of prisoners and captured a large quantity of war material.

Other reports speak of a heavy Italian artillery and air bombardment on the Abyssinian positions preparatory to making a renewed infantry assault.

Confirmation of these messages, however, is difficult, since the telephone between Addis Ababa and Adowa is not in operation.

PLANE BROUGHT DOWN

From Wareno, which is situated north of Harar, in the Province of Issa, comes a report that one

of the two Italian planes which flew over the vicinity has been brought down by rifle fire, both the pilot and the observer and a little dog which they had as a mascot being killed.

On the southern front in the Province of Ogaden the Italians appear to be making preparations for a big attack, according to a despatch from the Commander of the Abyssinian southern army, who reports a great concentration of tanks, artillery and planes in the valley sector.

Hitherto, no large scale action has taken place on the southern front owing to the Abyssinian policy of avoiding coming to close grips with the enemy, whose advance is being hampered by guerrilla warfare tactics.

About 20,000 volunteers from the Wollamo regions have arrived here with their wives and baggage in order to offer their services to the Emperor and are now in camp before the capital awaiting instructions.

ITALIANS LEAVE CAPITAL

The Foreign Minister handed the Italian Minister a note on Thursday withdrawing the diplomatic agreement which expired at 7 o'clock this morning.

Count Vinci protested in writing against the allegation that the Legations' radio transmitter had been used since the opening of hostilities and agreed to the entire Legation Staff leaving the capital this morning.

He himself declined to depart until the Consular agents from Magallo had arrived.

This request to remain in the capital until the arrival of the Consul was, however, declined by the Negus, who is also expected to refuse the application for an audience which the Minister made.

FINANCIAL DEMANDS

Milan: The financial demands being made by the Abyssinian conflict are again clearly reflected in the returns of the Banca d'Italia dated September 30, which have just been published, showing that since the last return issued gold stock had declined from 433 to 425 milliards, lira, while the foreign currency reserves have shrunk from 479,300,000 to 392,530,000 lira.

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THE WEST INDIAN COLONIES

Visit By Permanent Under-Secretary

London, To-day.

The Colonial Office announces that, if circumstances permit, Sir John Maffey, Permanent Under-Secretary for the Colonies, will visit the Colonies in the West-Indian area early next Spring, accompanied by Lady Maffey and Mr. J. B. Sidebotham of the Colonial Office.

Owing to the limited time at his disposal it will not be possible for Sir John Maffey to visit all these Colonies and in some cases only a brief call will be practicable.—*British Wireless Service*.

THE ROYAL BIRTH

Progress Of Mother And Son Continues

London, To-day.

To-day's bulletin from No. 3 Belgrave Square states that H.R.H. the Duchess of Kent and her son continue to make excellent progress.—*British Wireless Service*.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, To-day.—The total amount applied for in tenders for £45,000,000 treasury bills was £60,300,000. The average rate per cent for bills at three months was 12/1/8d., as against 12/8/05d a week ago. The maximum amount for issue on October 18 is £40,000,000.—*British Wireless Service*.

Parliament To Meet Oct. 22

London, To-day.—The following official announcement was made yesterday afternoon:

When the Houses of Parliament adjourned on August 2, adjournment resolutions provided that if public interest required they should meet again at any earlier time during adjournment, and that the Lord Chancellor and Speaker should give the necessary notice.

The Government considers that the public interest requires that Parliament should meet on Tuesday, October 22. The Lord Chancellor will accordingly take the necessary steps to summon the House of Lords on that date and the Prime Minister has invited the Speaker to give the requisite notice of summoning of the House of Commons.

—*British Wireless Service*.

MAIL SCHEDULES

The Hong Kong Postal Guide of 1935 is now on sale at the General Post Office and Central Post Office, Kowloon.

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These telegrams will be delivered on the morning after the date of despatch.

Further information may be obtained at the Radio Office.

INWARD MAILS

FROM EUROPE

Hector (Air Mail ex Imperial Airway Service)	Oct. 12
Rawalpindi (via Suez)	17

FROM U.S.A.

Pres. Taft	Oct. 14
Pres. McKinley	15

FROM JAPAN

Pres. Taft	Oct. 14
Bengal Maru	14
Katsuragi Maru	17
Pres. McKinley	18
Chitral	18
Talhybuis	18

FROM SHANGHAI

Huichow	Oct. 12
Muzapore	13
Pres. Taft	14
Chitral	18
Talhybuis	18
Pres. McKinley	18
Talhybuis	18

FROM AUSTRALIA

Kitano Maru	Oct. 17
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FROM MANILA

Tjisalak	Oct. 13
Emp. of Russia	16
Kitano Maru	17

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Hector	Oct. 12
Katsang	15
Talma	15

OUTWARD MAILS

FOR EUROPE

Tilawa (Australia Air Mail Service)	Oct. 12
Closes: Reg. 10.30 a.m. Ord. 11 a.m.	
Hector (via Siberia)	14
Emp. of Russia (via Siberia)	17
Closes Reg. 4.15 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.	

FOR SHANGHAI

Hector	Oct. 14
Emp. of Russia	17

FOR STRAITS AND INDIA

Tilawa	Oct. 12
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FOR JAPAN

Emp. of Russia	Oct. 17
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FOR MANILA

Tjibadak	Oct. 15
Pres. Taft	15

FOR U.S.A.

Emp. of Russia	Oct. 17
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FOR AUSTRALIA

Tilawa	Oct. 12
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Death struck heavily near Lucerne, Switzerland, when the automobile driven by King Leopold III lurched into a tree and fatally crushed Queen Astrid, his wife. The most recent picture of the royal couple (left) shows them in London where the King consulted physicians. Centre is a recent portrait of the late Belgian Queen, daughter of King Gustav of Sweden. Her children are shown top right: Prince Baudouin (left), Prince Albert, in crib, and Princess Josephine. Below is the royal couple at the time of their marriage.



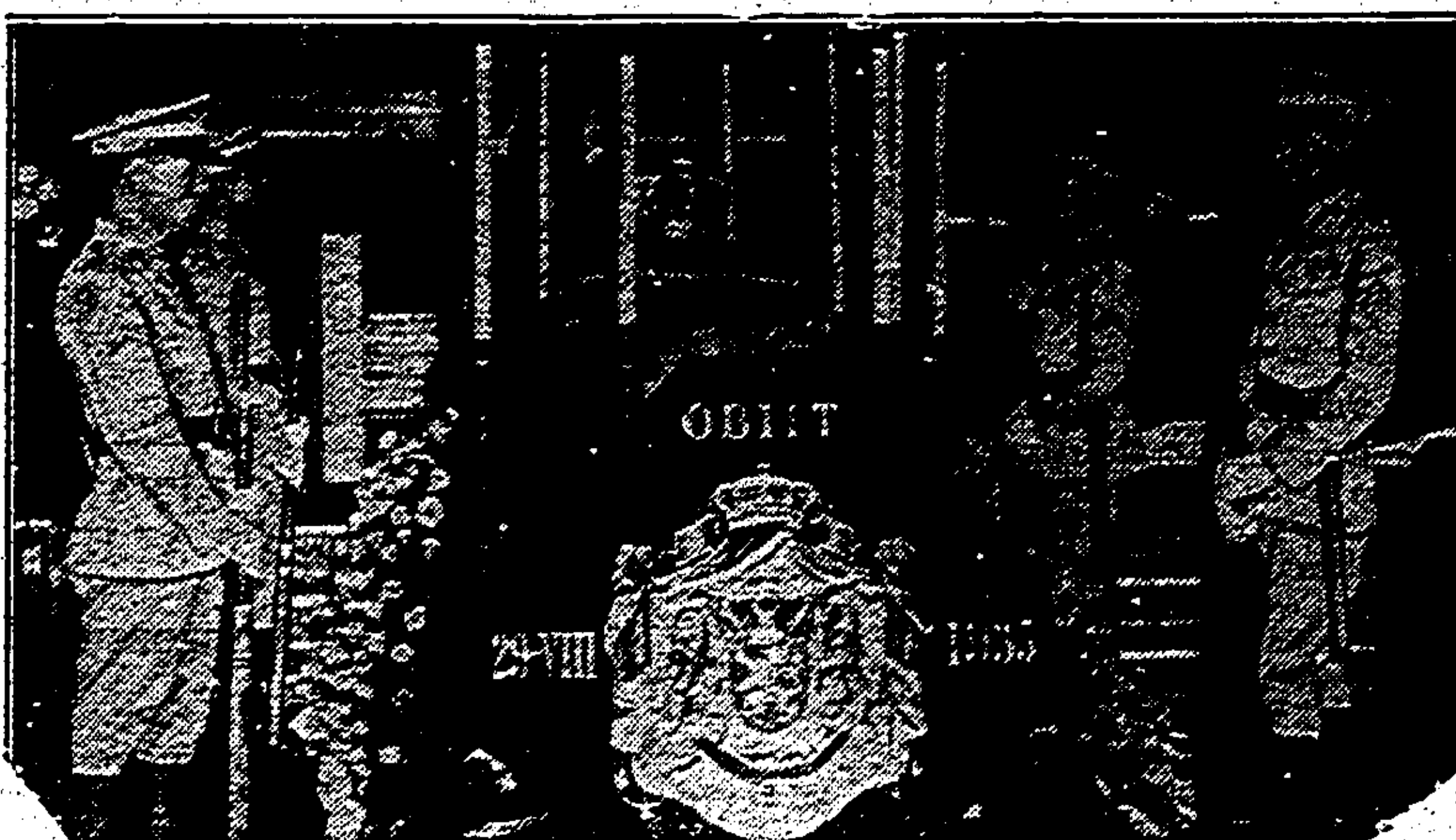
Winner over 30 beauties representing 12 nationalities, Senorita Luz Gaxiola of Hermosillo, Mexico, was crowned queen of an international beauty pageant at Mexico City and enthroned at the Black and White Ball, the outstanding social event at the Mexican capital, last month.



Hilda Moreno, the charming Cuban actress and former Ziegfeld beauty, who has left Broadway's bright lights for Belgium, where her husband is an official of the Hai Alai Building. "The love of a good man is the only thing that matters," says Hilda.



The veterans' camp at Isla Maroda on the Florida Keys which was destroyed by the hurricane that swept the district, taking a heavy toll of lives, last month. Below are some of the veterans, working on an FERA project in the camp before howling winds struck it, leveling their tents and most of the buildings.

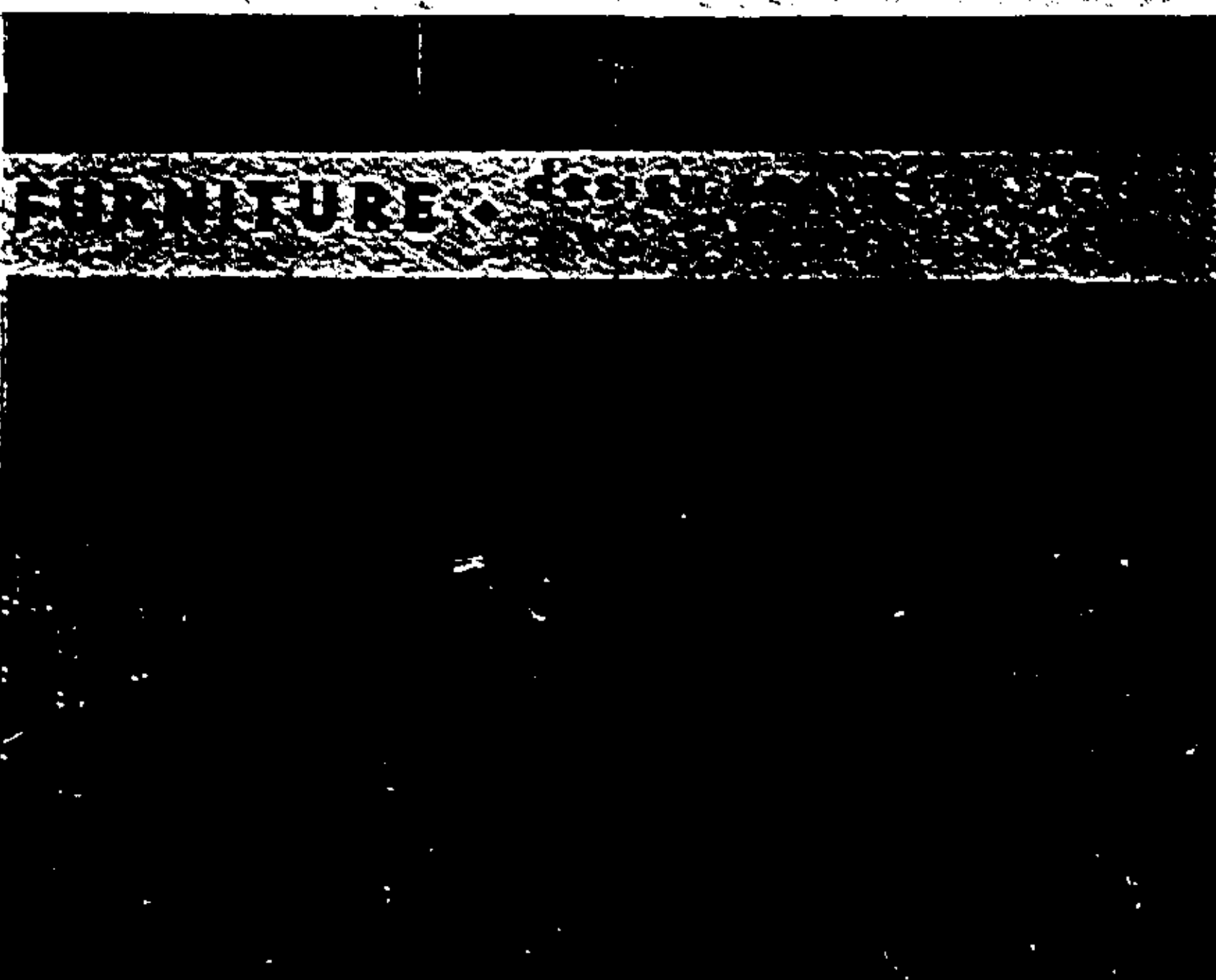


High United States Government officials and members of the diplomatic corps gathered in St. Matthews Church, Washington, D.C., to participate in the memorial services for the late Queen Astrid of Belgium, victim of a car accident. Our photograph shows an interior view of the church during the services. Note the casket, on which can be seen a replica of the Belgian crown.



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Mountain Lodge	1,725
The Eyrie	1,725
Peak Hotel	1,305
Taikoo Sanatorium	1,000
Mt. Davis	877
Bowen Road (filterbeds)	297

MAINLAND

	Feet
Taimoshan	2,124
Kowloon Peak	1,971

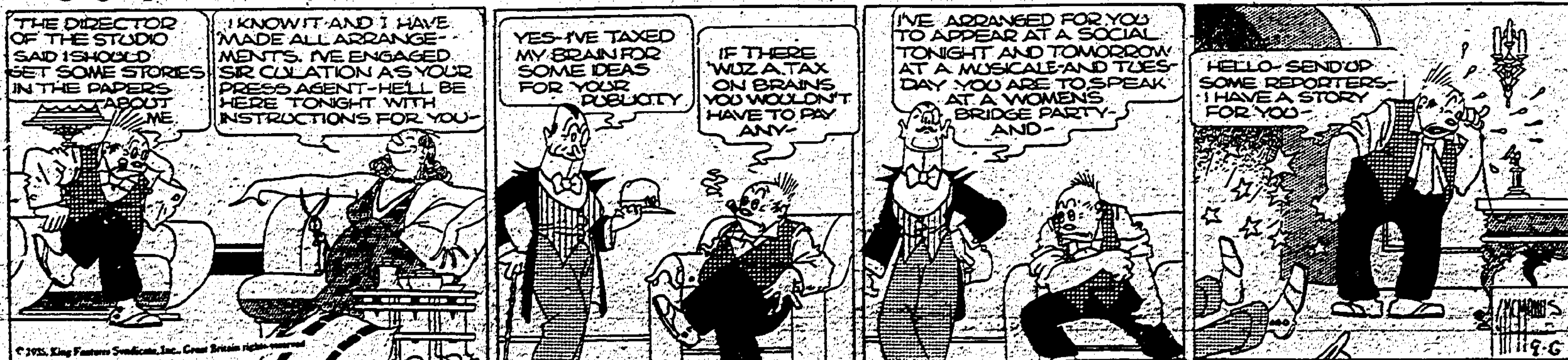
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North Dealer

North and South vulnerable

North:—

S—A 6 5

H—9 2

D—Q 6 3 2

C—A K 4 3

West:—

S—8 4

H—Q 8 3

D—7 5 4

C—J 10 9 8 7

East:—

S—K Q 7

H—A J 7

D—K J 10 9 8

C—6 2

South:—

S—J 10 9 3 2

H—K 10 6 5 4

D—A

C—Q 5

The bidding: (Figures after bid refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).

North East South West

1C. 1D. 2D.(1) 3C.(2)

Dbl. Pass Pass 3D.

Pass 5D.(3) 5H.(4) Pass

Pass Dbl. Pass Pass

Pass

1—A very bad bid, but South could not resist the temptation to overbid a hand containing two five-card major suits.

2—The first step in the campaign. West knows South cannot hold great club support but North will probably interpret the two diamond bid as showing club length. This bid, which indicates West has no club losers, will probably convince North that South has club support, and South that North has a long suit.

3—East is not sure West is kidding or whether he really has no club losers. In either event, South will feel compelled to take some action over the five diamond bid and it will not be a penalty double, since South has announced shortness in diamonds.

4—South bites at the bait and decides that the opponents are trying to steal something.

The play was more or less cut and dried. A diamond was opened, declarer winning with the Ace, and the Jack of spades was finessed. East winning with the King. A club return was taken by the Queen, and the spade ten led, which, in a misguided moment, declarer decided to finesse. East won with the Queen and gave his partner a ruff. In addition to these losing tricks, declarer could not avoid giving up two trump tricks for a loss of 900 points.

The shoe would have been on the other foot had South properly passed the five diamond bid around to North, who was carefully sharpening up his own axe.

Remember the annoying child in "Bright Eyes" who imitated a machine-gun, told tales on Shirley Temple, tried to run her down with a doll carriage and proved herself a complete annoyance? She is Jane Withers, a chubby, independent little girl of nine, about so high, with dark brown hair and blue-grey eyes, who has proven herself another one of Fox Film's sensational discoveries.

Jane's latest picture, "Ginger," has been proclaimed by New York and Hollywood as a great beginning for what looks like being a great career.

With Jane Withers and Jackie Searle, "Ginger" boasts the world champion small girl and boy heavies of the screen. There is a great clash, with a world of comedy, when these youngsters get together, but they are not heavies in this picture.

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"Ginger" was made under the close supervision of Sol M. Wurtzel, who also produced "Bright Eyes," and he personally selected the cast in which O. E. Heggie and Katharine Alexander are featured. Lewis Seiler directed the film.

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Shirley Temple fans will welcome the coming of "The Little Colonel" to the Majestic Theatre to-day, for the child star has never been given a finer role than the one she has in this film.

The picture has drama, comedy and romance—in fact all the ingredients that go to make a really outstanding film, and Shirley, supported by a magnificent cast headed by Lionel Barrymore,

marked the famous novel upon which it is based, "She" makes its bow on the screen.

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The Kingdom of Kor, as Haggard described it, was a magnificent tropical country. It comes to the screen endowed with all the splendour that the combined talents of the studio technical staffs and the wizardry of the motion picture camera can give. The ruler of Kor, the most amazing woman of fiction, appears in the person of Helen Gahagan.

Featured with her are Randolph Scott, as a young modern-day scientist who searches for and finds a flaming fountain of eternal youth, Nigel Bruce, another scientist who shares Scott's adventures, and Helen Mack, a mortal woman who wages a fierce conflict with the pagan queen for the love of Scott.

Below the group in the foreground is the motto: "Sic fortis Etruria crevit" ("Thus mighty Etruria grew"). The writer of the R.P.S. chapter does not appear to express any opinion on the claim made by a writer of a life of Josiah Wedgwood, that the seal was modelled by him in clay sent home from the Colony, and that the reference to Etruria may therefore be linked with the famous pottery in Staffordshire. A classical reference seems much more likely.

Many Different Forms

The stamp design takes many different forms, but the main characteristics of the seal are retained. The convicts have a Hogarthian appearance, which is in marked contrast to that of the smartly dressed elegants on the seal. Industry, on many of the stamps, is a distinctly "tough"

THE CRUSADES.—QUEEN'S THEATRE

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Cinema Notes
"SHE"—KING'S THEATRE

Realising all the atmosphere of splendour and magnificence that marked the famous novel upon which it is based, "She" makes its bow on the screen.

The many readers of fiction throughout the world who have been intrigued by this thrilling tale of fabulous wonders, as it was written by H. Rider Haggard, have much in store for them in the lavish translation of the masterpiece into a motion picture. None of the fanciful ingenuity of the author has been sacrificed and much has been added to make it one of the most impressive of spectacles.

The Kingdom of Kor, as Haggard described it, was a magnificent tropical country. It comes to the screen endowed with all the splendour that the combined talents of the studio technical staffs and the wizardry of the motion picture camera can give. The ruler of Kor, the most amazing woman of fiction, appears in the person of Helen Gahagan.

Featured with her are Randolph Scott, as a young modern-day scientist who searches for and finds a flaming fountain of eternal youth, Nigel Bruce, another scientist who shares Scott's adventures, and Helen Mack, a mortal woman who wages a fierce conflict with the pagan queen for the love of Scott.

Below the group in the foreground is the motto: "Sic fortis Etruria crevit" ("Thus mighty Etruria grew"). The writer of the R.P.S. chapter does not appear to express any opinion on the claim made by a writer of a life of Josiah Wedgwood, that the seal was modelled by him in clay sent home from the Colony, and that the reference to Etruria may therefore be linked with the famous pottery in Staffordshire. A classical reference seems much more likely.

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Sporting Page



VITAL INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS ENCOUNTER THIS AFTERNOON COLONY MUST WIN OR WILL LOSE RUBBER



B. L. Bickford, the Club left-winger, above, will make a re-appearance on the left-wing to-day against Kowloon in the First Division of the soccer League.



Rapier's Selections

- RACE 1**
HIGH SPEED
MISTAKE BAY
HIGH HONOUR
Outsider—Soldier of Peace
- RACE 2**
MACARONI
HETMAN
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Outsider—King's Fancy
- RACE 3**
BOBNAK STAR
ALACRITY
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BELMONT STAR
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- RACE 6**
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COPPER IDOL
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FLAMINGO
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Outsider—Beginner's Luck
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AND COPPER IDOL
LONG SHOT—GREAT HALL
AND ZERO

GUSTAVE HUMERY TO MEET MIZLER

Jeff Dickson's Very Interesting Match
(By LEIGHTON)

London, September 28.
Jeff Dickson has matched Harry Mizler, one time light-weight champion and the talk of the town, with Gustave Humery, of France, for an Albert Hall fight on October 2.

This is interesting, after the way Kid Berg, present British champion, fared with Humery. It means that if Mizler can account for the fiery Gustave he will again step into line for a title battle.

One of the ablest boxing critics saw Humery in action a month or two ago in France and tells me that he is, by far, the fiercest and most attractive fighter he has seen for many a long day.

CLUB-KOWLOON CLASH TO-DAY RECREIO OUT TO BEAT STRONG SAINTS' TEAM GOOD SERVICES' ENCOUNTER

(By "Rover")

TO-DAY'S football programme, although not the best by a long way, should provide the public with several interesting encounters. The clash between the Recreio and St. Joseph's, the present leaders, and that between the East Lanes and the Lincolns, will probably be the high-lights.

The Club and Kowloon, rivals for several years, will meet in their "derby" encounter this afternoon on the Club ground and some good football is anticipated. Kowloon are fielding one of their best sides and may cause an upset, although the Club are likely to start favourites.

The Fusiliers are making a bold bid for honours, and should garner two points comfortably to-day, but the other Services clash, between the East Lanes and the Lincolns, promises to be one of the fastest games seen this season.

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ROVER'S FORECAST

The following is Rover's forecast for to-day giving the favourite team in capital letters:

To-day	
East Lanes	Lincolns
Club	Kowloon
Fusiliers	Artillery
Recreio	St. Joseph's
Second Division	
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Eastern	Fusiliers
University	East Lanes
A.O.C. & R.A.S.C.	S. China
Athletic	Club
Third Division	
St. Joseph's	Liga Portuguesa
Lincolns	Chinese Police
Railway	Fusiliers
Air Force	European Police
To-morrow	
Artillery (Lyeemnn)	Police
Radio	Lincolns
Engineers	R.A.M.C.

"Dewar" Trophy Golf Draw And Starting Times

Below will be found the draw and starting times for the "Dewar" Trophy to be played over the Kowloon course to-morrow.

8.45 a.m.	A. Anderson & C. G. Anderson
8.50	W. Paterson & C. F. Barnes
8.55	G. P. Murphy & E. O. Murphy
9.00	W. Groves & W. Ahern
9.05	S. Jex & J. S. Smith
9.10	E. W. Gardiner & H. C. Barnes
9.15	J. G. Charlton & R. Henderson

COATES IS BEST LEAD IN COLONY SINCE J. LIANG MAGNIFICENT FORM LAST YEAR PLAYS FOR CHAMPIONS FOR PAST SIX YEARS

(By "SKIP")
A. E. Coates (Craigengower) commenced playing bowls in 1928 and has played consistently since then. He was No. 1 in that year, when they won the League championship and again in 1929 and 1930.

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A. M. Holland

HOLLAND HAS AN EXCELLENT BOWLS RECORD

Skip Of Rink Which Won Interport

MAKING HIS FOURTH APPEARANCE

(By "SKIP")

A. M. Holland (K.B.G.C.) has an excellent record, both as an interporter and as a singles player. He skipped the rink which took the Prentice Cup away from Shanghai for the first time, in 1928, when they won by a single shot.

Holland first commenced bowls in 1920 when he played for the then all-conquering Taikoo team and did not take long to prove himself, winning several competitions.

He joined the Kowloon B.G.C. in 1926 and has played for them consistently ever since.

Interport recognition first came in 1926, when he journeyed to Shanghai in W. Wotherspoon's rink. Since then he has represented the Colony on three other occasions.

He has been Colony singles champion and has won innumerable competitions at his own Club. He reached the semi-final of the Open Singles this year, but was eliminated by R. Duncan, who eventually won the Championship.



S. AFRICANS TIE AUSSIE RECORD

Score 31 Centuries On Cricket Tour

(By GEOFFREY SIMPSON)

London, September 10.
I was hoping to-day to announce that the South African cricketers had exceeded during their tour the number of centuries scored by the Australians when they were here last summer, but luck was against them.

E. A. Rowan was out when he seemed well on the way to his hundred in the last match of the tour, at Scarborough.

The three-figure innings by Rowan and K. G. Viljoen against the Minor Counties at Skagness last week enabled them to tie with the Australians at 31.

They also tied in the number of men to score hundreds—eight—Rowan heading the list to equal the seven by McCabe and Viljoen, like Bradman, running-up with six.

INTERPORT CRICKET TRIAL

The second Interport Cricket Trial will be held at the Hong Kong Cricket Club to-day, commencing at 1.45 p.m.

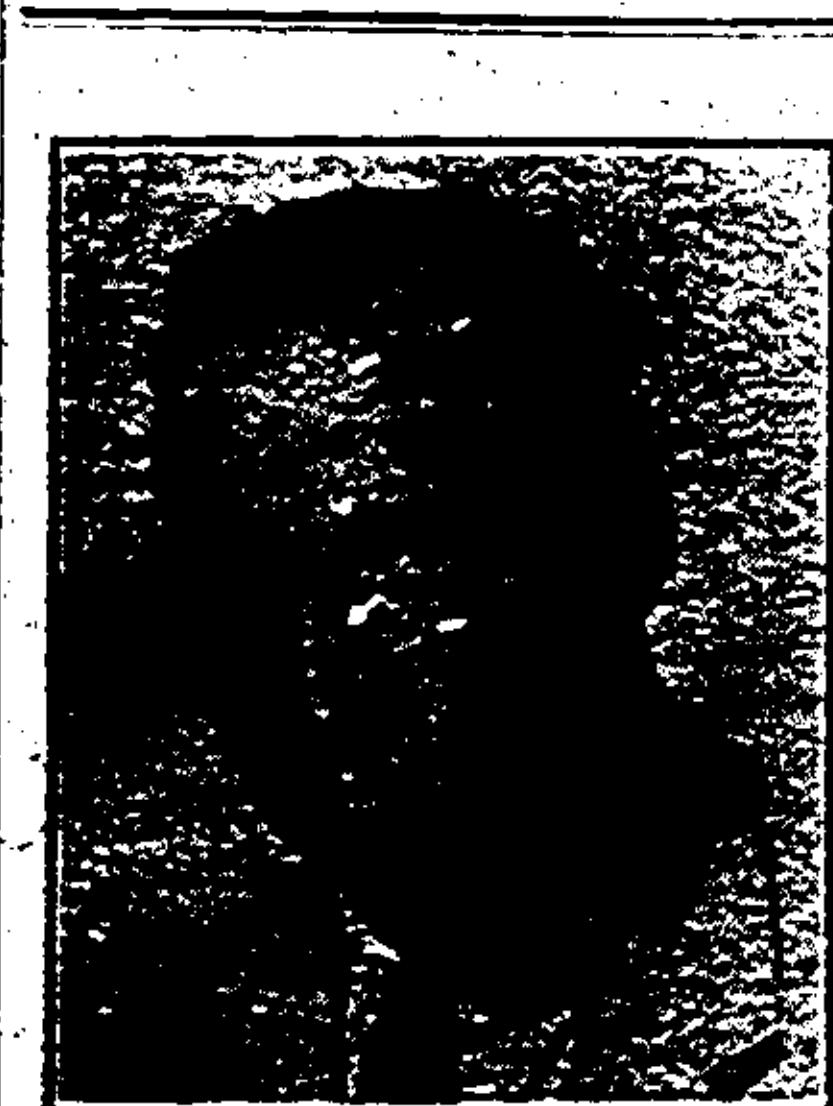
CAN HOLLAND'S RINK AVENGE DEFEAT? SHANGHAI CONTEMPLATE RADICAL CHANGES BUT SHOULD LEAVE FOUR ALONE

(By "Skip")

IF interest is to be maintained for the last Interport bowls fixture, to be held next Wednesday, the Hong Kong rink which will meet the Shanghai bowlers to-day on the Civil Service green, must win their match to level the scores.

Shanghai is full of confidence, remembering the 30 shots to 13 trouncing they administered to R. F. Luz's rink on Thursday, and, although rumour has it that they intend to make one or two radical changes to the successful rink, they would be well advised to leave it as it is.

On paper, at least, we are playing a strong combination, consisting of A. M. Holland (skip), J. Fraser, No. 3, J. McKelvie, No. 2 and A. E. Coates No. 1. At the time of writing the weather seems to indicate that the green will be on the fast side.



J. McKelvie

"JOCK" MCKELVIE'S METEORIC RISE THIS SEASON A FINE SINGLES PLAYER FIRST INTERPORT IS WELL DESERVED

(By "SKIP")

J. McKelvie (K.D.R.C.), who has been one of the most enterprising and successful skips this season, commenced his bowling career when the Dock green was opened. Many great bowlers have been produced by Kowloon Docks in past year and McKelvie certainly ranks with the best of them.

McKelvie obtained his place in the Dock team right from the start and continued to play lead or No. 2 for them up to the time when they became champions of the senior division in 1926.

His skill as a singles player, was proved when he won the K.D.R.C. Singles Championship two years in succession, the first time being in 1931.

McKelvie played No. 3 to S. Gray in the Kowloon Dock rink that took an "eight" off the Shanghai Interporters led by Dorrance in 1929.

Country Club Ladies V. Kowloon Golf Club Ladies

A team of Ladies from the Country Club, Fanling, are entertaining a Ladies' team from the Kowloon Golf Club to-morrow morning on the former's course, commencing at 10.30 a.m.

The following is the draw and starting times, the Country Club players being mentioned first:

10.30	Mrs. Kew, Mrs. Atkinson
10.34	Mrs. Remedios, Mrs. Brown
10.38	Mrs. Castro, Mrs. McCaw

Our players, however, should not be handicapped to-day to the extent their colleagues were on Thursday—on the contrary this is more likely to bring forth a favourable response.

Shanghai Lead

Since the first Interport (unofficial) was played in Shanghai in 1918, Hong Kong has won eight times to Shanghai's nine, but only in two cases, in the years of 1928 and 1932, has the victory been on foreign soil, and Shanghai has also won twice in Hong Kong, in 1927 and in 1931.

Up to, and including, 1929 the honours were decided on only one game, but since 1930 the match has been decided on three official games. In the single game series each port has gained six wins, so it is since the triple game innovation that Hong Kong has failed, having recorded only two wins against Shanghai's three.

A. M. Holland's rink (J. Laing, A. W. Grimmett and J. C. Brown) was the first rink to visit Shanghai and return with the Prentice Cup that was in 1928, exactly 10 years after the first match had been played.

R. C. Aitkenhead was the first Shanghai skip to record a victory on Hong Kong soil, and he accomplished this feat by beating R. Wallace's four by the convincing margin of 14 shots.

The honour of having had the biggest victory goes to Hong Kong, through J. Ferguson's rink winning by 20 shots in 1925.

RECREIO TEAM FOR HOCKEY FRIENDLY

The following will represent the Club de Recreio against the Punjab Regiment in a friendly hockey match next Monday, at King's Park, at 5 p.m.:—
H. Brito, A. A. dos Remedios and A. J. Basto; J. Gonsalves, W. A. Reed and A. A. R. Botelho; F. Nolasco, A. M. Xavier, B. Gossano, N. Beltrao and A. S. Xavier.



J. Fraser

FRASER PLAYS HIS SECOND INTERPORT WELL KNOWN FOR HIS DRIVING

REPLACES GRIMMETT IN HOLLAND'S RINK

(By "SKIP")

J. Fraser (K.C.C.) is the only member of that Club in the Interport team, and was included to replace A. W. Grimmett as No. 3 in Holland's rink when Grimmett intimated that he was leaving the Colony and would be unable to play.

Fraser played No. 3 to F. Cullen for Hong Kong against Shanghai in 1931, and this rink was the only won to win.

Fraser is well-known for his driving powers, and, indeed, is considered to be the finest driver in the Colony.

He took up the game about eight years ago and has played for the K.C.C. and the K.B.G.C.

He has been associated with the former Club for the past few years now and is one of their most successful skips.

AN "ALL BLACK" FAILS TO HIDE HIS COLOURS

Amusing Scene At Newton Abbot

AUTOGRAPH HUNTER WHO WON THROUGH

The joke is distinctly on Arthur Lambourn, the burly hooker with the party of New Zealand Rugby tourists at Newton Abbot.

Ever since they arrived in Devon they have been besieged by autograph hunters and one band of enthusiastic youngsters camps outside their hotel every day ready with books and pencils to pounce upon anyone emerging who looks like a Rugby footballer.

Lambourn's Mistake

Some members of the team have shaken off the hunters by saying they are not All Blacks; but Lambourn, when he tried the dodge, made a mistake.

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NEW ZEALAND TURF IN BAD WAY

Taxation Must Be Eased

Racing in New Zealand is in a deplorable state according to Mr. A. D. Webster, a well-known New Zealand owner-trainer, who has also a number of horses in training in Australia.

"It will continue to get worse," he said in an interview, "until bookmakers are licensed and taxation is eased."

"Ninety per cent. of the racing public, trainers, and owners want licensed bookmakers, yet still cannot get them."

MUNDY WINS BOGEY POOL

In the Bogey Pool played over the Kowloon Golf Club course last Thursday, H. H. Mundy with a card of 3 down was successful. Sixteen cards were taken out.

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AGENTS

CLUB-KOWLOON CLASH TO-DAY

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With S. Souza back in the defence and Elms at left-half, the Recreio forwards are in for a trying time, particularly their right-wing, which I am sure will find a terrific obstacle in Jimmy Elms and V. Costa.

On the other hand, the return of the Gosano brothers and Beltrao should make a big difference to the Recreio's chances.

Only one match promises to provide excitement in the Second Division, where the combined R.A.O.C. and R.A.S.C. eleven encounter South China at Sookun-poo.

Seniors For Juniors!

As I remarked in these columns before, I sincerely hope that the Chinese will not introduce any of their seniors members who are without any matches pending the return of the South China "A" and "B" team players from the China National Games.

In the Third Division the Saints should give a good account of themselves against the Liga Portuguesa, while the Air Force and European Police clash should be worth watching in view of the many brilliant individual players on view.

To-morrow's Games

To-morrow the Police seniors will meet Lyemnn at Sookunpoo, and should secure both points, while in the Second Division the Lincolns should experience no difficulty in beating the Radio.

A fairly good game will probably feature the only Third Division encounter when the Sappers meet the Medicals at Chatham Road.

FREDDIE FOX RECOVERS CONSCIOUSNESS

London, September 12.—F. Fox, the jockey injured in Doncaster fall on Tuesday, and found to have a fracture of the skull, has also dislocated a shoulder, and severely strained his neck. He is quite conscious, and to-day was going on comfortably.

LOCAL BOWLERS

CANADIAN CRICKET TOUR NEXT YEAR

NOT UP TO TEST MATCH LEVEL

GAME TAKES STRONG HOLD IN DOMINION

London, September 14. The Hon. R. C. Matthews, chairman of the Canadian Cricket Advisory Board, is in England to arrange for a tour of a team from Canada here next summer.

Interviewed on his arrival at Southampton yesterday, he said: "I have no illusions about Canadian cricket. I know we are not of Test match standard, but we shall be able to send over a stronger team than was the case in 1922."

"Our batting," he continued, "is good, but we are lacking in bowlers, though we have two really class men. One day, we hope to be able to come to England and play Test cricket."

Cricket For Schools

Speaking of cricket generally in Canada, he added: "The game is now being taken up more widely, and there is a movement on foot for cricket to be played in the elementary schools. One of our difficulties is that we find it hard to get professional coaches."

The Hon. R. C. Matthews was for six years president of the Toronto Cricket Club, which was founded in 1827.

HECTOR THOMSON'S SECOND GOLF WIN OVER JACK MCLEAN

RETAINS IRISH OPEN TITLE

LOSER'S EARLY LEAD LOST

London, September 14. Hector Thomson (Williamwood, Glasgow) retained the Irish open amateur championship yesterday, defeating Jack McLean (Hayston) by 5 and 4 in the 36 holes final on the Royal Portrush course. Thomson thus confirmed his 2 and 1 victory over McLean in the Scottish championship final earlier in the year.

McLean led by one hole at the end of the first round, but Thomson was in brilliant form later. McLean did not win a hole during the outward journey of the second half, for which he needed 40 strokes. On the other hand, Thomson was out in 34, and won six holes to turn five up.

A Dead Stymie

In the first round, McLean turned one up, but the first six holes on the homeward journey were all halved. McLean became two up at the sixteenth, where the holder was left a dead stymie after his opponent had taken three putts.

Having got a hole back, Thomson continued his revival in the afternoon after two halves by winning six of the next seven holes.

The holder, playing two great shots against the wind, also won the tenth, where McLean was bunkered before the challenger won his first and only hole of the round at the eleventh. This is a short hole of 156 yards, but Thomson, just over the green with his tee-shot, needed four more to hole out. The three halves which followed, however, left Thomson the winner by 5 and 4.

Brown Beats Even Time In South Africa

Pretoria, September 12.

The Oxford and Cambridge team of athletes who are touring the Union won their third match of the tour here to-day when in a triangular match they scored 13 points to 12 by the Transvaal and 5 by South African Police.

R. L. Howland, of Cambridge University, won both the shot putt (44ft-10in) and the discus (125ft-6in).

A. G. K. Brown, the Cambridge quarter-mile took part in the 100 yards, beat A. W. Sweeney, the British Empire sprint champion, and ran E. Grimbeck, the winner, to 6in, beating even time. In the 220 yards Sweeney could only get to within two yards of Grimbeck. M. K. Sullivan had little difficulty in winning the half-mile in 1min. 57.2-10sec, and the visiting team won the relay for the third successive time.

45,000 WILL SEE THAT BIG GRIFFIN PARK MATCH

Disposes Of Suggestion For Wembley Game

London, September 13. "Brentford have been waiting 40 years for Arsenal to come to Griffin Park. We would not, in any circumstances, take the match away from our supporters."

Thus the Brentford chairman to-day disposed of a suggestion that Brentford might agree to play their home First Division match with Arsenal on November 2 at Wembley Stadium. He adds that with special seating arrangements they hope to accommodate 45,000 at Griffin Park.

GREAT STRUGGLE IN MANX MOTOR CYCLE GRAND PRIX

WONDERFUL RACE BY SWANSTON

NORTONS SECURE FIRST SIX PLACES

London, September 12. One of the most exciting races in the history of the motor-cycle racing in the Isle of Man took place to-day when the Manx Senior Grand Prix was won by J. K. Swanston, a 27-year-old medical practitioner of Kirkcaldy, in the record time of 2hrs. 50min. 38sec. at a speed of 79.62 m.p.h.

Riding a Norton, he fought one of the hardest struggles seen on the T.T. course with F. L. Frith of Grimsby, also on a Norton, who won the Junior event on Tuesday. Frith, who came in second, took the lead from the start, and Swanston at the end of the first lap was sixth and 1min. 57sec. behind Frith. At the end of the second lap Swanston had reduced the lead to 1min. 27sec.

Lap Record

At the end of the third lap Frith's lead was down to 1min. 6sec. at the end of the fourth it was only 31sec, and at the end of the fifth lap 3sec, only divided the two riders.

In the last lap Swanston rode a record-breaking lap in 27min. 40sec. at a speed of 81.84 miles an hour, and finished 43sec. ahead of Frith.

All six first places in the race were won on Norton machines. Frith's time for the race was 2hrs. 51min. 21sec. at an average speed of 79.29 m.p.h.

S. B. Darbishire, of Cambridge, was third in 2hrs. 53min. 29sec. at 78.31 m.p.h.



POLICE HOCKEY WIN

2ND BTY. H.K.S.R.A. LOSE FAST GAME

DOWMAN SCORES TWICE FOR WINNERS

A very fast friendly hockey game was witnessed on the Marina Ground yesterday, when the Police defeated the 2nd Battery, H. K. S. R. A. by the odd goal in three.

The Gunners held the upper hand throughout and were very unlucky to lose. The Police, on the other hand, scored from spastic attacks, taking full advantage of the opportunities offered.

First Score

Dowman opened the scoring after 10 minutes when he converted a centre by Rulja Khan, but the Battery equalised soon after from a short corner.

On the resumption, Dowman gave the Police the lead again, but this was entirely against the run of the play. Boots Singh, in the pivot position, and Man Singh and Daya Singh, the two full-backs, were given a trying time in preventing the Gunners from breaking through again.

CLYDE SIGN NEW LEFT WINGER

Clyde F.C. have signed R. Marshall, the St. Mirren and former Hibernian outside left.

EXTEND SHANGHAI TEAM

RIBEIRO JUSTIFIES INCLUSION

KOWLOON LEAD AT THE SEVENTEENTH END

TRAINS GOOD DISPLAY FOR NORTHERNERS

(By "Skip")

ALTHOUGH the Shanghai bowls team eventually won by a single shot, 18 shots to 17, when they met a combined Kowloon C.C. and Recreio rink on the Kowloon C.C. green yesterday afternoon, the local bowlers, as none of them were considered sufficiently talented to secure his place in our Interport team, accomplished a very fine achievement. The local bowlers held the lead from the ninth head to the seventeenth head. It was a grim struggle throughout, and some very close heads and brilliant bowling were witnessed.

Undoubtedly F. V. V. Ribeiro, who was called in at the last minute to fill the vacancy in the No. 3 berth occasioned by the absence of F. N. M. Silva, who was unable to play owing to pressure of business, gave the best performance among the local players, and, on the day's showing, was in an entirely different class to his Interport opposite, J. W. Brierley, who was again disappointing.

Although J. Lopes has been skipping regularly for the Clube Lusitano in Shanghai, his play when he skipped the Shanghai team in yesterday's match was surprisingly good, as one is more inclined to imagine him filling either the No. 1 or No. 2 positions. C. Richards, who played No. 2 for the Interporters, fully lived up to his display in the first Interport last Thursday, although he found his opposite number, R. P. Phillips, a very tricky and accomplished opponent.

H. A. Alves, the brilliant Recreio player, took some time to settle down in his unusual position as lead. A. Hyde-Lay had some very lucky wicks and partly because he had to drive too often, was overshadowed by Lopes.

W. Train, who played lead for Shanghai, gave a creditable performance and strengthened the belief that he is the finest player in this position that the Shanghai team can boast.

Probably Meet Training Partner And Holder At Top

London, September 13. Jackie Brown, of Manchester, who lost the world fly-weight championship to Benny Lynch on Monday, will fight in future as a bantam-weight.

"After I've had a rest," I shall begin taking on bantam-weights," explained Brown yesterday, "and it is my ambition to get to the top of the tree in this division as I did among the fly-weights. This, however, must mean an eventual clash with Johnny King, my training partner, and present holder of the bantam-weight title."

BERG TELLS OF HIS AMBITION

To Meet Canzoneri In London

All the way from London to Manchester Jack (Kid) Berg made a speech on the desirability of a world light-weight battle in London between Toni Canzoneri and Jack (Kid) Berg.

He was ably seconded by his no less eloquent manager.

The oration was for the special benefit of Mr. Syd. Hulls, who fixes the big fight at Wembley. He sat with an immobile countenance throughout the speech, failing even to stir at the statement that "Toni and Jack would produce £17,000 in takings."

But that was no indication that Mr. Hulls was disinterested. All fight promoters have what is known as a "negotiating expression." This does not betray by so much as the flicker of an eyelid their true reactions.

The probability is that there will be a heart-to-heart talk on the subject as soon as the parties reach agreement on what constitutes a fair price for the fight.

LOTT AND STOEFFEN FOR WEMBLEY

Enter Professional Championship

George Lott and Lester Stoeffen, last year's Wimbledon doubles champions, will make their first appearance in this country as professionals at the Wembley Professional Championships.

In addition to Lott and Stoeffen, the player competing will be Ellsworth Vines, Hans Nusslein, W. T. Tilden, Robert Ramillon, Martin Plass, D. Maskell, and Albert and Edmund Burke.

Talk Of A Berg-McCleave Light Weight Fight In London

London, September 13. Kid Berg, British light-weight boxing champion, challenged any light-weight or welter-weight in Europe. "I hear to-day," writes "Cormoran" that a move is now on foot to match him with Dave McCleave, former amateur welter-weight champion of Europe, in a London fight.

McCleave wants to accept Berg's challenge, so does Harry Mizler. "If Berg means business," says Mr. Victor Beilner, of the Ring, "I will put up £200 a-side for him to meet either McCleave (at 10st. 7lb.) or Mizler (at 9st. 9lb.)."

Mizler, meanwhile, is preparing for an Albert "Hall" bout with Humery, the Frenchman, who has twice beaten Berg.



J. C. Millar, above, the former Club rugby vice-captain, has been transferred to Swatow.

NEW ZEALAND 'VARSITIES MAY PLAY IN COLONY

RUGBY FEATURE NEXT YEAR

FROST BREAKS BONE IN WRIST

(By "FLY-HALF")

DESPITE the heavy rain the Club held their second trial last Tuesday, but the wet state of the ground and the heavy ball mitigated against any good rugby, although the game was a hard fought one.

There were practically two full fifteens on view which was quite good in view of the inclemency of the weather and the possibility that the game had been cancelled.

THE game was an unfortunate one for Frost, who again gave a very good showing. He sustained a broken bone in his wrist which besides keeping him out of rugby for some months, has ruined his hopes of a place in the Interport cricket team.

Hynes For Rugby

DESMOND Hynes has decided that he will play rugby in preference to soccer this season and shows promise of becoming a most useful wing-three-quarter. He has a fine turn of speed, runs straight, and does not try to indulge in wild long passes when blocked on the wing.

MCGILCHRIST indulged in some wild throwing when a pass to the forwards backing him up would have been much more effective, particularly considering the wet state of the ground and ball. Incidentally, not one of these wild throws went anywhere near any of his own side.

SMALLEY came on late in the second-half and it was difficult to judge his ability in the few minutes of play that remained, particularly as the rest of his side had played throughout the game.

Wednesday's Trial

NEXT Wednesday will be the final trial and on the following Saturday the First XV will meet the Army in a friendly game on the Club ground at 4.30 p.m. The Club "A" XV will meet a Navy XV on the same ground at 3.15 p.m.

THE sides of relatively equal strength have been drawn up for Wednesday's trial in order to assist the selectors in their task of choosing Saturday's teams.

N. Z. Varsities Willing To Play

WORD has been received from the New Zealand University Rugby Football Council that they are agreeable to playing two games against the Colony, provided the necessary permission is given by the Japan Rugby Football Union. A request has already been addressed to Tokyo requesting this permission, and the reply is now being eagerly awaited.

LIEUT. J. Rice Evans, Royal Welch Fusiliers, and Secretary of the Army Rugby in Hong Kong, has returned from an extended holiday in Japan and North China.

FRENCH RUGBY TEAM FOR ENGLAND

The Lyons-Villeurbanne team of Rugby League players from France, holders of the French Rugby League Cup, are to tour Yorkshire and Lancashire, playing four matches.

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Riding For Health And Beauty

RIDING is rapidly becoming one of the most popular forms of exercise, perhaps because there are few better ways of bringing a healthy glow to the cheeks.

Autumn is the perfect time to begin, if you are not already a horsewoman; the exercise will keep you fit throughout the winter—the stiffness that you feel after your first ride showing that all your muscles have been in vigorous use.

Riding is a splendid way of improving the deportment and posture in general; it is also an exercise which reduces superfluous weight and tightens up slack muscles, to the general improvement of the figure.

You need not be particularly robust to take up riding, but you will soon find your health improving. At a famous London school of riding there are pupils of anything from about four years old to 50! There is nothing like riding for keeping you young, and it is a pastime that can be a delight to you up to almost any age.

Opportunities for learning riding are available at most boarding and many day schools, and it is one of the most worthwhile "extras" that parents can allow their children. When you learn to ride, you also learn patience, initiative, self-confidence, courage and quickness of mind.

Gaining Confidence

How to set about learning to ride? The best thing to do is to take a series of lessons at a good school of riding. Here you will be given a quiet mount with sympathetic manners to learners, and an experienced instructor. A covered-in school is advisable for nervous beginners, so that a certain amount of confidence is gained before going out on the road or in fields.

A minimum of a dozen lessons would be necessary before you could control a horse on your own, and great patience is necessary at first in order to master the essentials of good riding, such as correct "seat" and handling of the reins. The trouble with many excited and eager beginners is that they want to get on too quickly, and fail to pay sufficient attention to learning those foundations so vital to them if they are to be good riders later on.

Your riding kit nowadays need not necessarily be very expensive. Well-cut breeches or jodhpurs are the most important items in addition to good boots. You may like to have a riding jacket, but can, if necessary, hack in a neat pull-over without a coat, and wear a close-fitting hat or a beret.



Jealousy

IF a bottle of slow poison stood in the medicine closet of her home, no woman would go there hourly and take a spoonful of it.

But there is "another kind of poison, more dreadful in its effects, that thousands of women keep on tap and take regularly. It is the poison called jealousy. And jealousy and insanity are first cousins.

One woman I knew was not particularly fond of her husband until another woman wanted him. Then she writhed, whimpered, foamed with all the symptoms of a disordered mind. She set traps for him, she tried to bribe his office nurse to spy on him, she bored every one she knew with hysterical outbursts of rage.

When the other woman was mentioned she became actually sinister; she knew it for a fact that Marian cheated at cards, she knew it for a fact that Marian wasn't straight, she knew everything disagreeable that could be imagined about Marian. Some one happened to speak of Marian's child.

"Ha, she's defective, you know!" said the discarded wife, with a laugh. "The poor little thing'll never be normal!" The husband was mentioned. "I hear John's wearing corsets and having his face lifted," the jealous wife screamed rather than said, with peals of laughter.

And this was a quiet, apparently pleasant woman, who never before had shown any signs of the volcano that was ready to burst forth at the first touch of jealousy.

In the old days, when home and church influences took care of children's morals, girls—and jealousy is rather a feminine characteristic—girls grew up conscious that it was a pitfall, and determined to fight it.

Old-Fashioned

"Look out, my girls," writes the father in "Little Women" from a Civil War camp. "I want each one of you to fight her bosom enemy."

It's an old-fashioned phrase; our children wouldn't know what we were talking about if we reminded them to fight their bosom enemies; no one ever has told them that within each one of us lie the powers that can make our lives beautiful, or that can destroy our very souls.

Sometimes girls in school are envious of the passing advantages of more fortunate girls.

Often young women feel vague professional jealousies.

Sex jealousy is perhaps the most poignantly painful and destructive of all; it is the only sort of jealousy men ever seem to feel. It is the tragedy of its agonies that it destroys in the man or woman who gives way to it whatever natural attractions he or she may have, and so defeats itself.

It is curable. A jealous woman may emerge from this fiery trial all the stronger and finer for it, but very few mothers seriously analyse their children's characters in these days, and try to strengthen what is good in them and weed out what is bad, so that many wives come to the test completely unfitted for what is a real spiritual crisis.



A modernistic conception of the "Green-eyed Monster."

Ruth, for example, is 33. She was married nine years ago and has two boys, both in school. She was always a trifle heavy, and she has settled now into something like stockiness; she was always somewhat unimaginative, and she is managing this affair with a complete lack of imagination.

Almost Beautiful

Walter has fallen in love with the woman in his office, Jane Deane. Jane is 28, divorced and extremely plain at first view. But hers is one of those faces that presently seem almost beautiful in spite of a homely big mouth, prominent teeth, straight dark hair, sallow skin. Jane has magnificent gray black-lashed eyes, a lovely voice and a delightful disposition.

Ruth discovered the affair six months ago; she immediately collapsed. She put up no fight. She lay for days weeping on her bed; her face grew dark with anger and swollen with tears; she would not come to meals. To her little boys she said between sobs that Daddy didn't love them any more; he was in love with Mrs. Deane; he was going away to leave them. Once an extremely pretty woman, Ruth lost all semblance of good looks; she stopped golf; she went nowhere; she put on 17 pounds in weight.

She stubbornly refuses Walter a divorce, and she continues to make his life wretched at home. Every time he goes out of the house she calls after him spitefully: "All right, go to your Jane!" In short, she has taken the path best calculated to wreck what might be salvaged in their marriage, and to make Walter dislike her.

Now, this situation of a husband—perhaps a good and faithful husband—being strongly attracted to another woman is one that many married women have had to face, and one that will recur from time to time in the years to come.

Society doesn't censure him now as once it did, and the law, instead of holding him firmly to his marriage vows, amiably condones divorce. A few weeks in an amusing and pleasant Western city and he is free, not responsible any more for the woman and children by whom he has been loved as husband and father for so many years.

Whatever the woman does in the circumstances, she loses. This is one of the times when she can't win.

If she holds him he is restless and resentful. If she lets him go her life is too often ruined by the bitterness, the disillusionment, the loneliness, the general disturbance of the whole current of her days.

Our social scheme to-day permits the man to feel himself acting quite honourably when he leaves the woman of whom he is tired and goes to the new love; and his discarded wife is only setting herself against the current when she protests.

But, all the same, she doesn't have to let him go if she does not want to. Nine times out of ten the smarter thing, the thing that makes for happiness in the end, is not to let him go. Ruth may know in her heart that Walter is making a fool of himself; that what he feels for Jane won't last; that Jane couldn't make him a good wife, or any man a good wife.

Course To Follow

Ruth's course, if she wants to handle the whole thing intelligently, is to make home pleasanter than ever; to be always serene and patient; to bide her time. Her course is to make herself charming; not for Walter, for he won't see her at all for a while, but on general principles.

Her course is to keep herself busy, find work inside the house and out that interests her, that lifts her a little bit above the narrow circle of home. Ruth attracted Walter once against all comers; the most sacred hours of life are those associated with her; whether he marries Jane or doesn't, the hour is going to come when he sees Ruth in the old light.

And then in a few years we have the very ordinary spectacle of a husband pretending that his passion for Jane was just warm friendship, forgetting completely that he asked Ruth to set him free, restored to the home circle and to his wife's affections.

But the wife has to get rid of the last shred of jealousy before she can succeed in this sort of campaign.

The law that sends a fatal germ into one's mouth and spares a thousand others, that takes away one woman's only child while leaving another woman a safe and happy nursery of half a dozen children, that gives one little sister curly hair and another a talent for the violin, that burns one house and leaves its fellow standing, operates in this matter too.

the nursery

JANE'S misfortune was that she happened to be the David's little sister. It was a role that did not suit her. She was an extremely capable young person.

At two she could lay the table, at three make a creditable attempt at a darn. She could handle scissors, jug and water, cooking utensils, to some purpose. She would carry dishes from the table until mother's "David, help Jane, she might drop it," stopped her efforts.

Jane was convinced that she could do most things, from playing leap-frog with David to frying eggs for Daddy's breakfast. But David would spring easily over the backs of his friends, whereas Jane's fat little legs brought her down to earth in more senses than one. As to Daddy's eggs, Mummy would say, "Now let me crack them, Jane. You can do them by yourself when you're as big as David."

A simple instruction would be regarded by Jane as a humiliation. She would reject it with an attitude of obstinate immobility. Well-meaning visitors who said, "How lucky you are, Jane, to have such a big brother," or to David, "How nice for you to have a little sister like Jane," saw a mulish stubbornness overcast her face, and thought, "What an unpleasant child."

Jane became difficult. She could be neither coaxed nor driven. Her "nay" was "nay." It began to be common to hear, "It's no good talking to Jane to-day. She's in the sulks again."

Jane seems to be suffering from the defects of her virtues. Just because she is capable, vigorous, and self-reliant, it is gall and wormwood to her to be rubbing elbows day in day out with someone just old enough to achieve with ease all the things she strains to do. She spends her life trying to prove that she is not quite as inferior by comparison with David as she fears.

Understanding, tact, and ingenuity should have been used, to avoid putting her into a position where this is brought home to her. The many things she could do so well should have received positive appreciation, without bringing

David into the picture. Sulks indicate an inner storm of rage and bitterness which can find no outlet. This chewing the cud of one's misery means intense unhappiness while it lasts, as many an adult melancholic knows. It is necessary, but not easy, to help such a child.

She should be encouraged to express her anger, however violent, without criticism or reproach. "Hard words break no bones." An occasional scrap between the children without interference from above would be salutary. Such feelings are better worked off than shut in.

A good nursery school should be found as soon as possible. For a child like Jane, three would not be too young. By pitting her qualities against her equals in age, occasional failures would lose much of their bitterness.



BEAUTY DIARY

BY Esther

some kind of protective foundation.

If the skin is oily, it should be washed every day with warm water and Castile soap—a dash of toilet vinegar or witch-hazel being added to the cold rinsing water. A carbolic lotion that will give sufficient protection without greasiness should form the basis for powder. Or the lotion can be used without powder.

The swimming enthusiast in particular should rub a little cuticle cream or cold cream round the cuticles before going into the sea. It will prevent hardening. Sun-tan oil massaged into the hands will keep the skin soft and supple.

In her desire for complete freedom of movement, the sports girl should not be tempted to discard belt and brassiere. The slim figure as much as the heavier build needs support, and modern featherweight corsetry will add greatly to comfort and efficiency in play hours.

Graceful as she may be diving from a spring board, driving a straight ball down the fairway, or galloping across the downs, the average sports girl is the reverse of graceful at all other times. She holds herself badly; she walks badly, and, I am sorry to say, often lacks graciousness of manner.

I think one of the reasons for her awkwardness of movement is her neglect of any other form of exercise except the one in which she excels. Most of the big stars in the world of sport play some other, milder game, while nearly all the women-tennis acs are beautiful dancers.

I recommend all sports girls to take up dancing if they want to be as graceful when walking across a floor as they are when following their favourite pursuit.

Your nails need a tonic from time to time. There's a new one that should be applied to the cuticles with a brush. This oil softens the cuticle and at the same time strengthens the nail from the base and prevents cracking and dryness.

Test your lipstick before buying. A new recruit to the lipstick battalions awaits your trial in an ingenious stand that is fitted with a mirror and a bottle of stain remover. You can try out each of the colours and, having chosen, obliterate the traces from your hand with the special fluid provided.



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Skirts for day time, two inches shorter; bias-cut and slim-fitting. Inverted pleats back and front or small row below the knee. Calf length dresses for afternoon, flaring from a wide waist-belt. Evening skirts shorter in front. Drapery at the sides.

Colours include rich wine and prune shades, Venetian reds, blue-green, Madonna blue, mahogany, and a rich chestnut. Coats of burgundy and cypress green. Black for afternoon, relieved with gay touches: red and violet smart for evening.

Materials. Thick tweeds for town, some with reversible patterns. Face cloth and velours for coats. Novelty wool for morning frocks; velvet for afternoon. Varieties of lame, chiffon velvet, crushed chiffon and satin for evening.

Tweeds are a sure tip for the autumn, so go ahead with the gayest of them for your new outfits.

A new craze for initials is sweeping the coastal pleasure resorts of the continent. Every day returning holiday-makers are arriving carrying with them the fruit of this latest treasure-hunt.

This variegated alphabetical invasion, truth to tell, meets an army already in possession, but the home contingents are not quite so fantastic and alluring as the gay legions that have crossed the Channel.

The initial craze, of course, started in correct conventional style a season or two ago as a chic dress accessory adopted by the Parisian dressmakers.

Popularity soon killed the fashion: that was loved too well for the liking of exclusive dressmakers.

But the unruly initials refused to surrender their pitches on jumper and cardigan, tailored lapel, beret, and belt. As pendants, clips, brooches and bracelet decorations they remained triumphant best-sellers and twinkled defiance at the dressmakers.

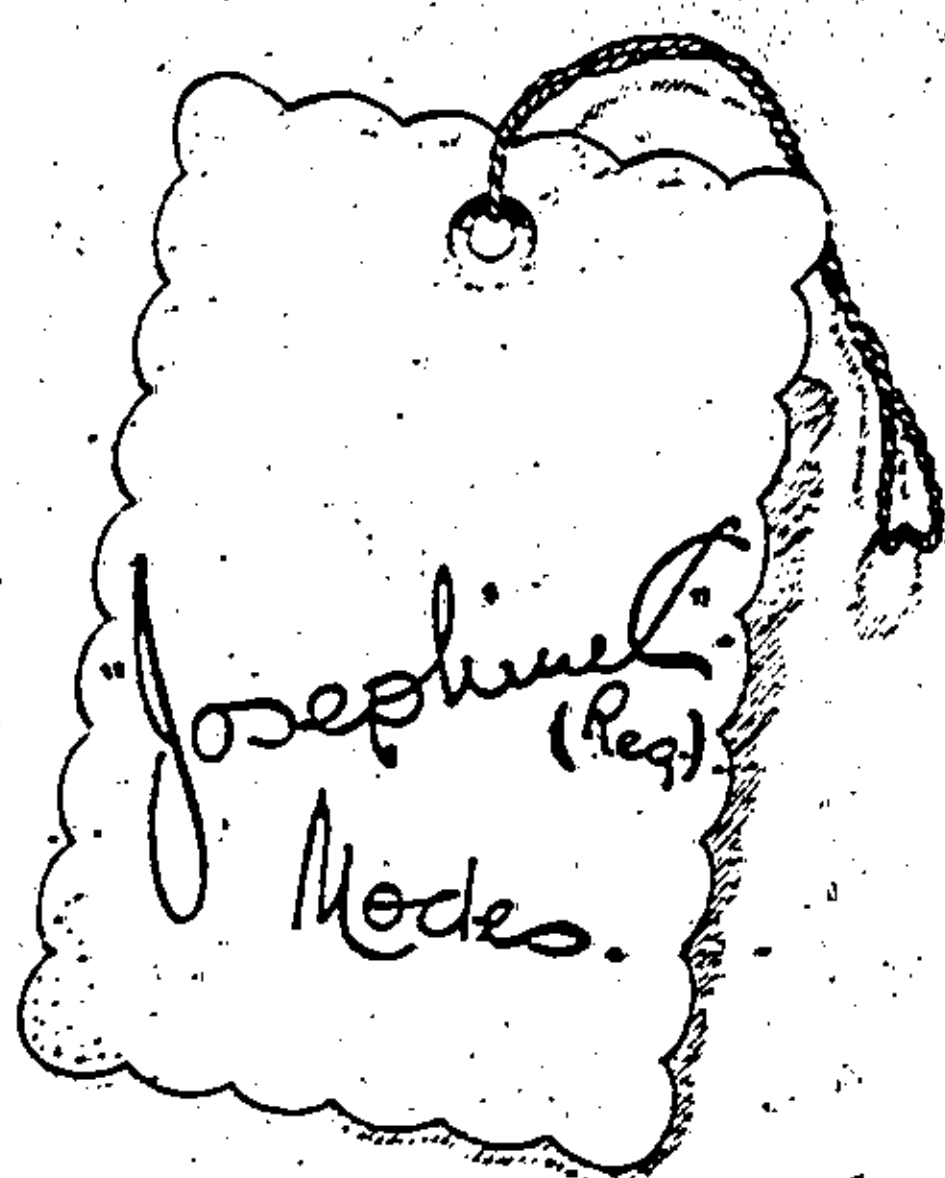
There is glamour too in the quest for the right initial. "Initials are so common," says the fastidious woman a little superciliously, but sooner or later there comes an odd half-hour in the holiday programme when she catches the infection.

It happens not infrequently that the last to fall victims catch the new epidemic in its aggravated, multiple form. Did not she who writes this remain immune till the last hour of the last day, and on her way to the boat pause thoughtlessly at the jeweller's window where three little wooden symbols were assembled in the corner of a tray?

Modernist they were in design and fully meriting the shop ticket that proclaimed "le dernier cri," yet there was an oddly familiar air about that little group. Who could resist these faithful friends of a lifetime or have the heart to leave them unclaimed in a foreign land?

SLEEVES for coats and afternoon dresses are full, gathered in to armhole and wrist, and sometimes ornamented with fine braid. For morning, square receding shoulder-line and leg o' mutton effect.

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KNITTED clothes have never been more fashionable than they are to-day, nor have they ever been so shapely. This jacket, made to fit the figure, will be ideal for winter wear. Made in a plain ribbed pattern it fits snugly to the figure.

Materials: 12oz of 4-ply wool; a small quantity of Angora wool; No. 9 and No. 12 needles; a crochet hook (medium); 14 buttons.

Measurements: Bust, 34 inches; length to underarm seam, 14 inches; sleeve at the underarm seam, 20 inches.

Back: Begin at the lower edge with No. 9 needles and cast on 116 stitches. Knit into the back threads of the newly cast-on stitches.

Rib 2 plain, 2 purl until the work measures 14 inches.

Shape the armholes. Cast off 8 stitches at the beginning of the next 2 rows and decrease 1 stitch at each end of the needle in every other row 5 times. Knit until the armholes measure 8 inches.

Shape the shoulders by casting off 9 stitches at the beginning of every row until there are 36 stitches left in the centre at the back of the neck. Cast off.

The left front: Begin at the lower edge with No. 9 needles and cast on 77 stitches. Knit into the back threads of the newly cast-on

stitches. Rib in pattern. Keep 9 stitches at the front edge worked in a rib of 1 plain, 1 purl to make a border to go up the front. When the work measures 14 inches shape the armholes. Cast off 9 stitches at the armhole edge and decrease 1 stitch at the same edge in every other row 5 times. Knit until the armhole measures 6½ inches.

Shape the neck. Cast off 16 stitches at the neck edge. Cast off 4 stitches at the neck edge in every other row 3 times. Cast off 2 stitches at the same edge in every other row twice. When the armhole measures 8 inches shape the shoulder by casting off 9 stitches at the armhole edge in every other row until all stitches are cast off.

The Right Front: Make the same as the left front. Add buttonholes to this front.

To make a buttonhole 2 stitches from the front edge, cast off 3 stitches, knit to end of the row in pattern. In the next row cast on 3 stitches over the cast-off 3 in the previous row.

In the following row knit into the back threads of the newly cast on stitches.

Make the first buttonhole 1 inch from the beginning, and subsequent buttonholes make 1½ inches apart all the way up to the neck.

The sleeves (both alike): Begin at the cuff with No. 12 needles, and cast on 66 stitches. Knit into the back threads of the newly cast-on stitches. Rib 1 plain, 1 purl for 4 inches. Change to No. 9 needles and knit in pattern, increasing 1 stitch at each end of the needle in every seventh row until there are 90 stitches. Knit until the sleeve measures 20 inches at the underarm seam. Shape the top of the sleeve by casting off 3 stitches at the beginning of every row until there are 30 stitches left in the centre at the top of the sleeve. Cast off.

To Make up: Press all the pieces carefully with a moderate iron and a damp cloth.

Do not press in the region of the waistline on either of the fronts or the back; this will give the garment a shaped effect.

Sew up the side seams, shoulder seams, and sleeve seams. Put the sleeves into the jumper seam to seam. Stitch buttons down the front.

Crochet two rows of double crochet all round the lower edges of the jacket.

The Collar: Pick up all the stitches round the neck with No. 9 needles. Increase in every fourth stitch in the first round. Rib in pattern until the collar measures 4 inches. Cast off loosely. Press it out round the lower edge. Crochet 2 rows of double crochet all round the collar.

The Tie: With No. 11 needles cast on 15 stitches. Knit into the back threads. Work 6 rows of plain knitting. Change to stocking-stitch and keep a border of 3 stitches on either side to be knitted in garter-stitch to make the work flat. Work 8 rows of stocking-stitch in the ordinary wool.

6 rows of Angora.

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Knit until the tie is long enough to go round the neck and tie a bow. Finish off the second end in the same manner as the first end was made. Cast off and press lightly.

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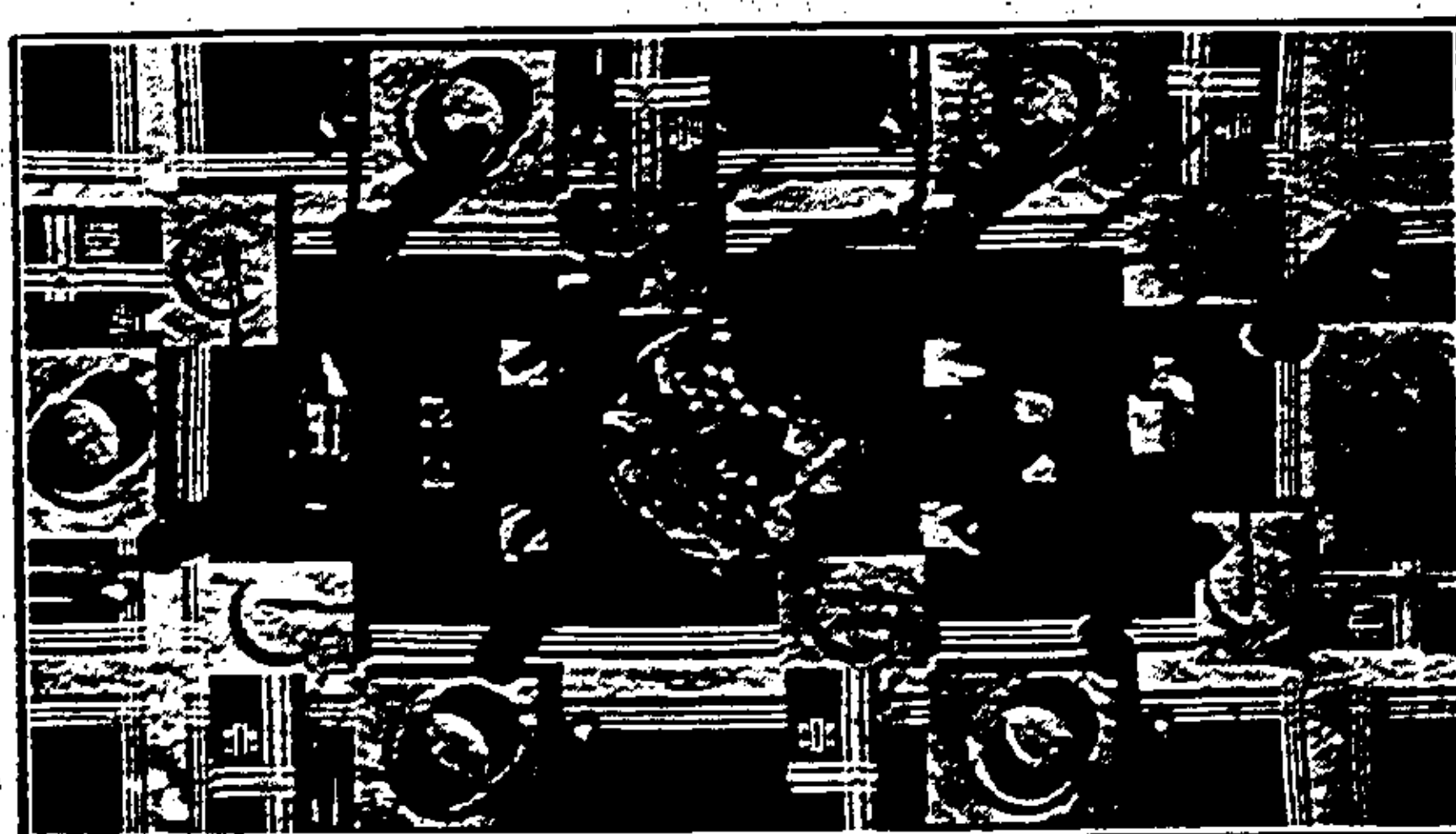
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Legislation Pending
In England

RECOMMENDATIONS TO
AIR MINISTRY

London.

Legislation is being prepared for submission to Parliament when it reassembles at the end of October to make it compulsory for private aeroplanes to be covered by third-party insurance.

In the Gorell Report on the control of private flying and civil aviation published in July last year compulsory insurance was recommended and other suggestions were made which would free amateur flying from many of the present ties of officialdom.

The Air Council accepted these recommendations, but nothing was done officially until the arrival in this country of M. Miguet with his "Flying Flea."

This machine, built by amateurs, does not conform to the present regulations and cannot therefore be given a certificate of airworthiness.

£5,000 Minimum

Nevertheless, the Air Ministry has decided that an "A" licence holder (amateur pilot) may fly such a machine provided he is insured against third-party claims to a minimum of £5,000.

This is the first move towards the general adoption of third-party insurance for private aeroplanes which has long been urged in civil aviation circles. The premium will be decided by the insurance companies according to the merits of the pilots.

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"Sightseeing will have to be done at low altitude, with all its attendant evils."

Safe And Reliable

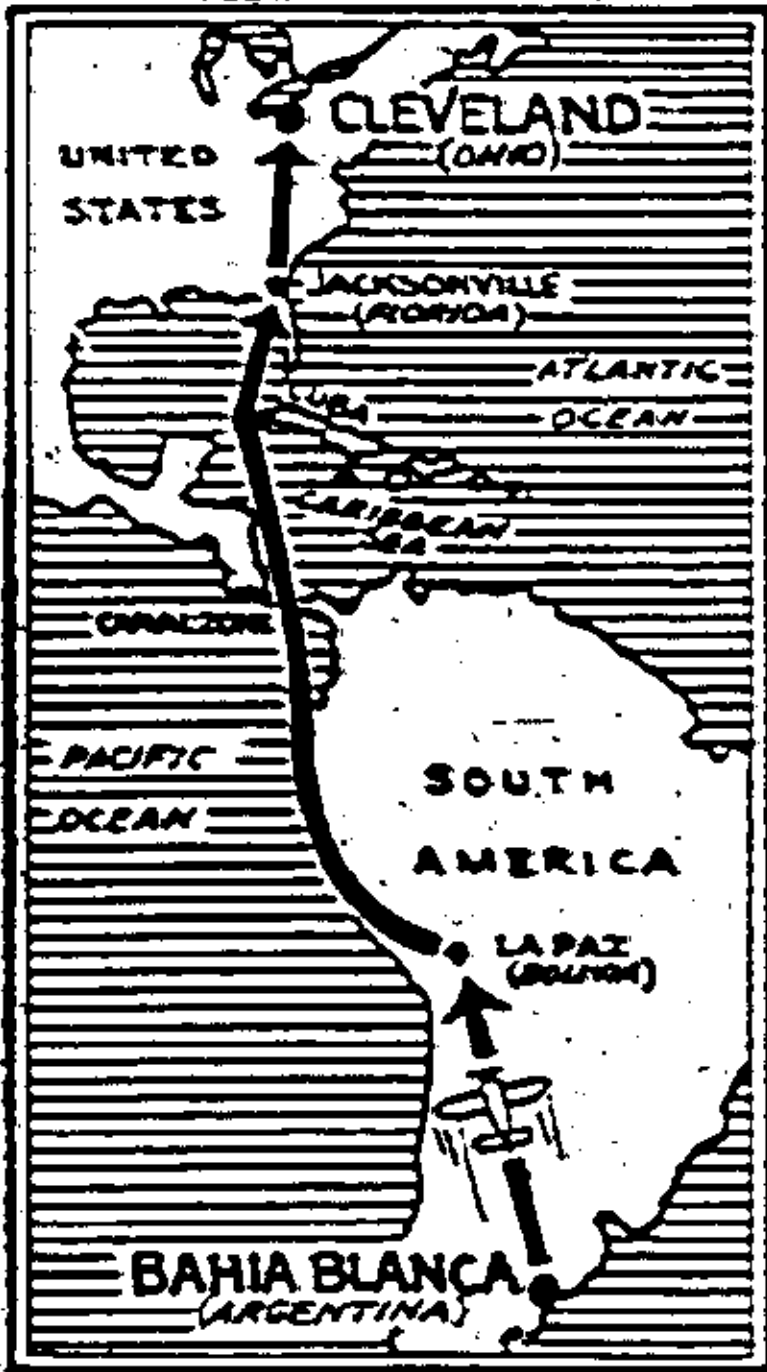
Flight in the stratosphere, he said, offers nearly all that can be desired in safety and reliability. The causes of most flying schedule delays, fog, irregular wind and ice, are not present in the stratosphere.

Safety he finds assured by freedom from humidity or gusty wind and by height eliminating all chance of collision with mountains. In case of trouble, a plane from 40,000 feet could glide to any point within a radius of 120 miles; presumably a safe landing would always be in reach.

Furthermore the glide would take nearly an hour, and during that time engine repairs might be made without a landing.

GIANT FLYING BOATS FOR FRANCE

Three giant flying boats, similar to the *Lieutenant de Vaisseau Paris* have been ordered for the French Navy.



Hopes of breaking the world nonstop long distance flight record of 5,625 miles, held by two Frenchmen, Maurice Rossi and Paul Codos, are held by James C. Prosser, left, and Gilbert Stoll, right, two Cleveland airmen, who plan to take off from Bahia Blanca, Argentina, and fly to Cleveland. The course of their projected flight is shown on the map. The most critical lap of their journey will be across the towering Andes from where they plan to follow the coast line north to the Canal Zone, thence to Cuba and on to Cleveland, via Jacksonville, Florida.

PLANE BLOWN TO PIECES

NEW ISLAND BASE FOR R.A.F.

For Five Squadrons And A Training Flight

London.

Five squadrons and a training flight are to be located on the £500,000 R.A.F. base at Thorney Island, near Chichester, Sussex, work on which is soon to begin.

"PEGASUS III" ENGINES

Fitted To Polish "Flying Hotels"

SATISFACTORY TESTS UNDERGONE

London.

Instead of the American Wright "Cyclone" engines usually fitted in Douglas airliners of the "Flying Hotel" type, two of these machines ordered for the Polish air transport company have been fitted with the British Bristol "Pegasus III" engine. The Polish Air Force has many military aeroplanes fitted with this engine.

The first two of the British-engined "Douglases" were flown from the Douglas factory at Santa Monica to New York, a distance of 2,700 miles, for shipment to Europe.

The report on the flight states the speed at 12,000ft was 180 m.p.h., and at that height and speed the fuel consumption was only 28.8 imp. gallons an hour. The engine has won warm praise from American experts.

ITALIAN PLANES IN CHINA

Italians have taken the lead away from Americans in furnishing China with planes and instructing citizens to operate them.

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A new type of radio antenna used on American transport planes consist of 35 feet or so of free wire which trails from the tail of the ship.

PREMATURE EXPLOSION OF A BOMB

Occupants Killed Immediately

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Lisbon.

A military aeroplane was blown to pieces in mid-air here recently when a bomb which it was carrying exploded at a height of 7,000 feet.

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The petrol tank was only part of the machine which remained intact. It was found nearly a mile away from the bodies of the aviators.

The machine was one of a number of Portuguese military bombing planes which were carrying out manoeuvres.

TWO GASOLINES

Two different kinds of gasoline are used by transport planes operated by one of the larger U.S. airlines; one, the highest grade of aviation fuel, for take-off, climb, and under conditions requiring full power; the other for normal climb and cruising.

British Wonder-Plane Seen At Brussels Show

A new British wonder plane, the Fairey Fantome five-gun, single-seater fighter, competed with the latest types of war machines from all over Europe recently in a fighter contest near Brussels, of which the prize was a valuable contract for the Belgian Air Force.

This was the same machine that startled flying experts from 50 different countries at Hendon a week or two previously, at the Society of British Aircraft Constructors' display, when it put up an amazing exhibition of speed and vertical flying, with Flight-Lieut. C. S. Standland at the controls. He was in charge again at the contest, when the Fairey Fantome

EXPERIMENTS OVER SOME YEARS

2 NEW ENGINE-TYPES PRODUCED

SLEEVE-VALVE PRINCIPLE USED BY BRISTOL COMPANY

London.

THE silent aero engine has been brought a stage nearer by the production of two types of sleeve valve engines, after ten years of experiment, by the Bristol Aeroplane Company. These are the Acquilla 500 h.p. engine and the Perseus 770 h.p. engine. Both are now going into production and will be available for 1936 air liners and military aircraft.

Engine roar is the main factor which betrays the presence of military aircraft to the sound locators of the watchers on the ground. The silent aero engine will in time defeat the sound location and thus make detection all the more difficult.

In the civil machine the reduction of engine noise will be reflected in quieter passenger cabins.

Extended Tests

Imperial Airways have taken delivery of four of the Perseus engines and two of them have been running for some weeks in the biggest air liner, *Syrinx*, on the Paris route. The other two of her four engines are still the older type Bristol Jupiter units. With only two of the newer units, however, her speed has gone up by eight miles per hour. Not only is greater silence secured but greater efficiency follows.

There are lower fuel consumption, fewer working parts, more even cooling and more even temperatures.

Bristol products are all radial air cooled types.

Variable Pitch Propellers. Success with the sleeve valve engine is due to research by Mr. A. H. R. Fedden, the aero engine designer.

The engines are fitted with variable pitch propellers.

In 1936, therefore, British machines for the R.A.F. and for the air line operators will have quieter engines of high power and efficiency, fitted with the special propellers which assist a speedy take off and greater efficiency for climb and level flight.

"TIGER" MOTH MACHINES ON FOREIGN ORDER

TYPE DISPLAYS POPULARITY

All-Purpose Plane

London.

Orders from 11 overseas air forces and five foreign Governments have brought the total number of "Tiger" Moth biplanes intended for military flying or military flight training to 450.

Designed as a light training machine and used in the Royal Air Force and in schools where candidates for the R.A.F. are prepared, it is also employed in many other capacities.

Pilotless Target. It is the "Queen Bee" pilotless, (Continued at foot of next Col.)

PLANES TO SELL AT LOW PRICES BEING BUILT

Movements In Britain And Holland

CHEAP RUNNING EXPENSES

London.

The "Drone" type of super-light aeroplane, with which Robert Kronfeld recently flew from London to Bristol, is now being produced for the British market.

This is practically the same machine which was successfully demonstrated by the late Mr. C. H. Lowe-Wyde about two years ago. It is really a glider powered with a five-horse-power Douglas twin-cylinder motor-cycle engine and is priced at £275.

Licences Expected

Flying regulations in Britain at present forbid such a machine being flown more than three miles from its aerodrome, but it is anticipated that the licence for this type will soon be given, when it should prove a most useful stepping stone to flying with an ordinary aeroplane.

It should also have a future as a sporting machine and for the mere pleasure of flying. It has a top-speed of 64 m.p.h., a cruising speed of 50 m.p.h. and a landing speed of 25 m.p.h. Petrol consumption is at the rate of a gallon an hour, and running expenses are estimated at 2s. an hour.

Holland Also Moves

Amsterdam.

A cheap, light aeroplane to cost only 1,500 florins (£200) is now being built in the Netherlands.

"Everybody's plane," as it is called, is a metal biplane for one person, which, it is said, can attain a speed of 120 kilometers (80 miles) by means of a motor-cycle engine of 12 to 20 horsepower. The flying expenses are claimed by its constructor, T. E. Slot, to be 5 florins per hour. It will be possible to remain in the air three hours without refuelling, he says.

Mr. Slot's plans are being executed at the shipbuilding yards of the Royal Docks "De Schelde" at Vlissingen. This is an important shipbuilding company, which is trimming its sails to the wind of the times and is shifting, partly, from the shipbuilding line to aeroplane building.

FIRST U.S. APPROPRIATION

In 1911 the U.S. Congress appropriated \$125,000 for aeronautics, the first money to be voted specifically for this purpose. This came about as a result of Orville Wright's demonstration before President Taft three years earlier.

wireless-directed aeroplane target; it is used as a seaplane, and on occasion as a ski plane; Persia uses it as a single-seater fighter.

The "Tiger" is also used by many private owners and in flying clubs. Its cruising speed of 94 m.p.h. at an all-out total weight of about three-quarters of a ton answers the purpose of a large number of private owners, for whom a machine with a 130 h.p. engine is sufficiently powerful. The use of this comparatively low power makes the type economical. For the price of one high-powered single engine military aeroplane five "Tigers" can be bought.



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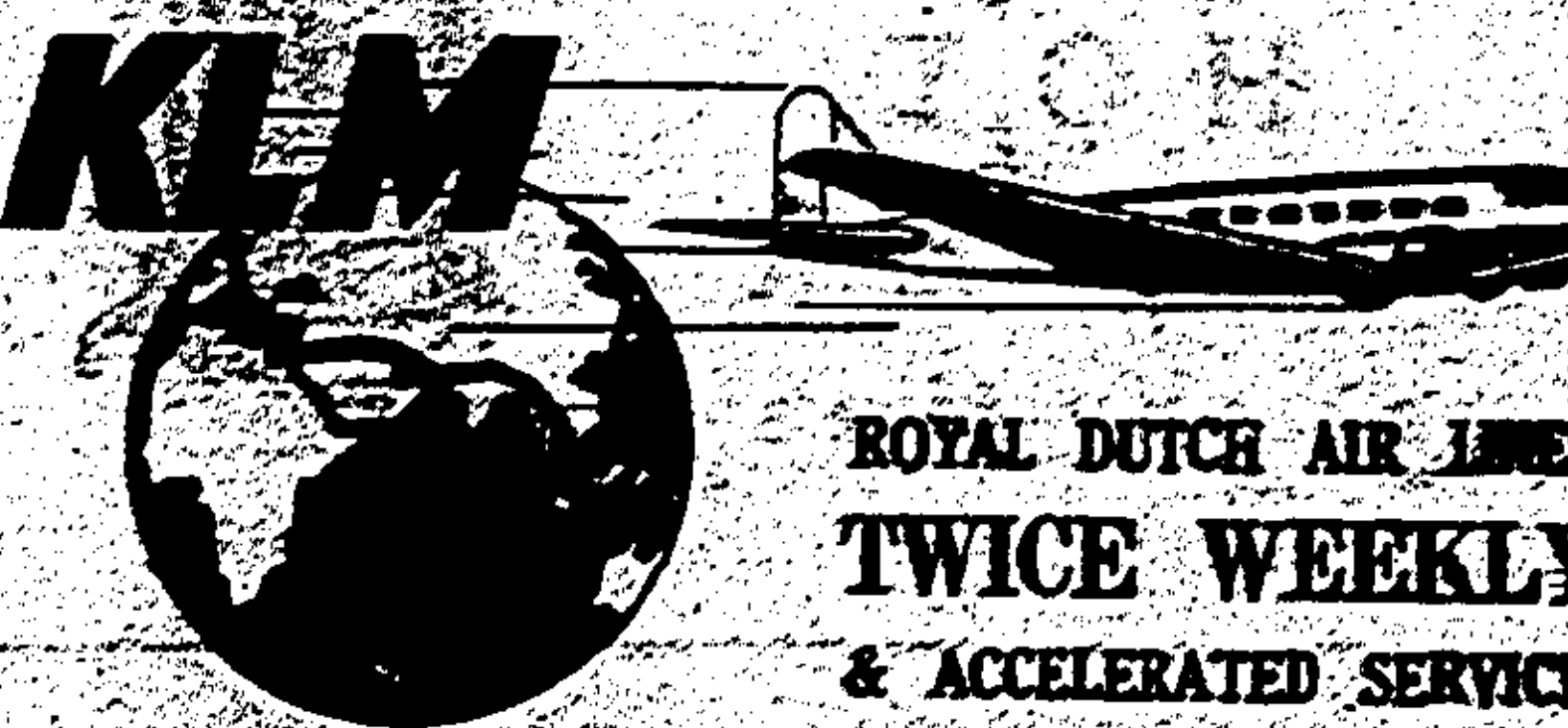
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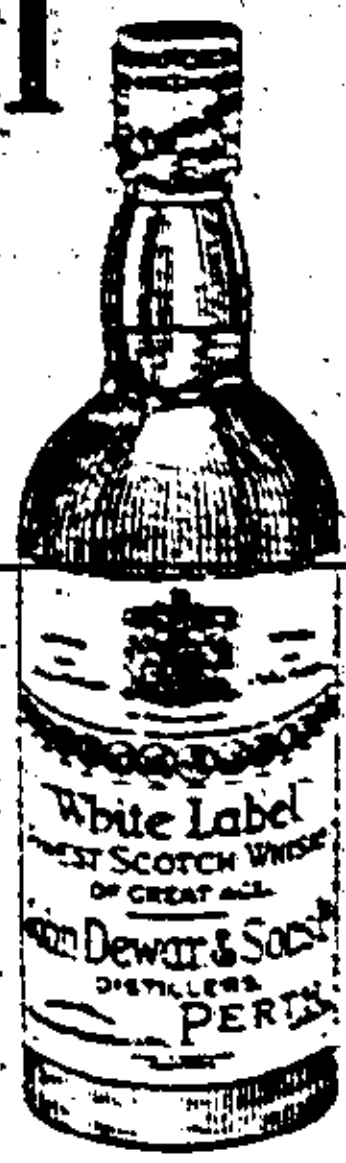
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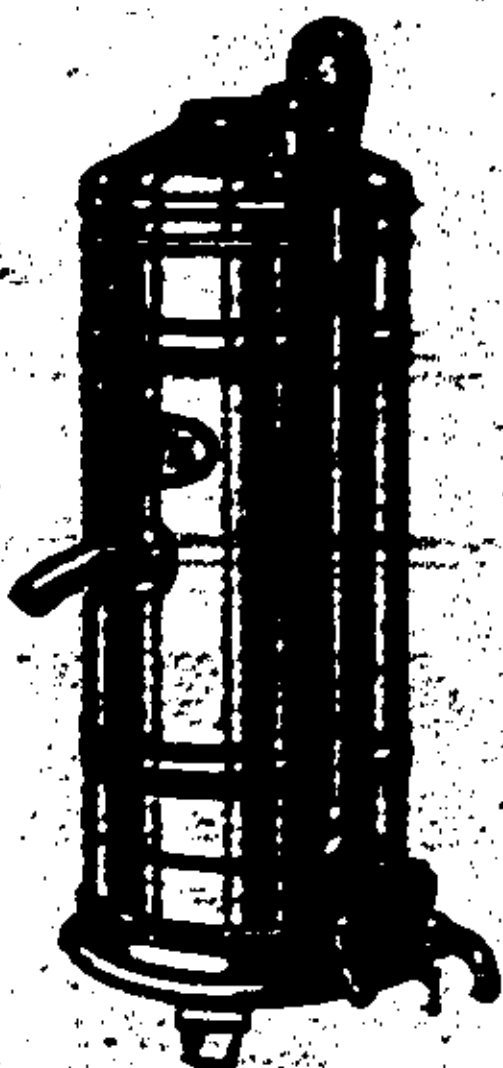
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The China Mail

Hong Kong, Saturday, Oct. 12, 1935.

The Fog Of War

The casual reader who is interested in following the war news will probably come to the conclusion that there must be some very incompetent correspondents in East Africa; at any rate the unfamiliar names of a part of the world which not only lies out of the ordinary routes, but has been kept as far as possible remote from general affairs can hardly fail to confuse the mind, even if it were easier to keep in mind the contradictions of previous days. In these circumstances it is better to form one's own conception of the general lines which the operations are bound to follow and to take for granted that they are running in their natural course, unless something sensational happens.

The terrain is by this time fairly familiar through the maps that have been published in the Press. It is not peculiar to that part of the world. The whole of the African Continent consists of a low-lying coast belt, with what look like mountain ranges some distance inland, but are really the ramparts of a high plateau stretching many miles inland. Then comes another "step" to a still higher plateau, and right from North to South is a central plateau, mostly now under British control, which Rhodes used to call "the backbone of Africa." One does not need to be a soldier to appreciate that the level ground is difficult to defend, and the higher an invader goes inland the more opportunities there are for holding strong positions and for harassing the line of communications up which all supplies have to be carried either on the heads of porters, or on the backs of mules, or by motor traction—most of which is nowadays made on the "caterpillar" plan, which can be seen in many of the photographs.

The Emperor reported to the League Council that in order to prevent frontier clashes he had withdrawn his troops twenty-five miles from the boundary line; and it will be recollected that Signor Mussolini waxed very sarcastic at the idea that it was in the interests of peace. The withdrawal was, he said, a war manoeuvre, and this was perfectly true. It was a process of posting his men on the foothills of the first rampart of higher ground. But obviously this precaution, undertaken by the advice of the Belgian Staff Officers who have trained his small regular army, makes it very unimportant whether the

Italian troops occupy one or another of the so-called "towns", which are merely scattered collections of huts that can be almost as easily re-erected as destroyed. Being built of dried mud, with thatched roofs, the materials for restoration are always at hand.

Adowa itself is not quite on the lowlands, but it is the first town that is reached after the climbing begins; and it is one of the most important facts of the tactical position that, although there may be a rough road leading up that particular valley, there are also other valleys North and South which are equally available for irregular troops that travel habitually on foot or on horseback, and which provide ideal cover for surprise attacks to the rear of the advancing army. We shall hear of such attacks during the next week or so, perhaps with some frequency. They are made for the purpose of compelling the invader to leave a large proportion of his force behind to guard his stores and transport; and it is a feature of this sort of warfare that the threat of an attack is almost as effective as actual fighting. The whole object is to "keep the enemy guessing." A local success or repulse is not in itself of great importance. The other day we were told that the Japanese public had come to the conclusion that the war would be over in a few weeks because Adowa had been captured so quickly. This illustrates merely how different is this African war from the German-trained mass manoeuvres to which the modern Japanese Army is accustomed.

The other side, of course, has also its tactical plans, to keep the defenders guessing. It would be a great mistake to lump all regulars together into one great column, because that would leave so many of the defenders free to raid around the flanks. As has already been mentioned, the "mountain ramparts" are criss-crossed with deep valleys, any of which give access to the higher ground if not resolutely held. But there are half a dozen that are a bit more easy and broad than the rest, and which are commonly used in peace time. Along three of these, apart from the main attack by way of Adowa, forces are being pushed with the object of distracting the attention of the Ethiopian staff. Should any one of these advances meet with no resistance at all it could make much confusion and could even be turned into the main attack. But there are many towns capable of serving the purpose of a base as well as even Addis Ababa. That "capital" is not even the headquarters of the Emperor; it is very unimportant whether the

Here
There
and
Everywhere.

Though M. Andre Citroen was little known in London, he had considerable interests there.

Short and stoutish, and rather silent—owing possibly to his scanty English—he gave the impression of a shrewd but cautious French man of affairs.

Most of the talking was done by his manager, M. Philippe, who was as much above the normal height as M. Citroen was below it.

M. Citroen, who was of Jewish origin, carried adventurousness in business to the point of rashness.

He suffered from an over-developed publicity sense. Not even the Eiffel Tower—from which at one time his name gleamed in illuminated letters—was too big for his purposes.

In many provincial towns the most palatial building was the Citroen garage which he had financed.

ALWAYS A GAMBLER

When the depression came, M. Citroen refused to be depressed.

This crisis, however, caused him to produce another trump card. This was the front-wheel drive "knee-action" car, which is now ubiquitous in France.

Ten years ago he was said to have political ambitions. But apart from his business, baccarat was his passion, and the table at which he played always ranked as No. 1 for spectators.

The story is told of him at Deauville that one night he handed a 10,000-franc chip over his shoulder with the remark: "Be so kind, madame, as to take this and stop breathing down the back of my neck."

Your Daily Smile!

Summer. A curious climatic condition which occurs only while the other fellow in the office is taking his holiday.

Life. A communist is a fellow who thinks it's more likely that there's something wrong with the country than with him.

The Nearest Wins

Little Robert came home from school with a new book under his arm. "It's a prize, mother," he said. "A prize? What for, dear?" "For natural history. Teacher asked me how many legs an ostrich had, and I said three."

"But an ostrich has two legs." "I know that now, mother, but the rest of the class said four, so I was nearest."

Two More

Scotland Yard was hunting a criminal, but the only picture of him they had was a strip of six photographs.

This strip was sent to a provincial town, and shortly afterward the following telegram reached the Yard: "Have found four of the wanted men. Hope to get other two soon."

Practical Type

Civilian: "Well, I see the navy is building a new cruiser." Sailor: "Yes, sir. We build only new cruisers."

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He is the Lord of Gondar, and the other "Rases"—like Ras Seyoum, mentioned as commanding one attacking force—have their own capitals, also, and can call on the absolute loyalty of their own people. It will be a long job, and the chance of success depends really entirely upon the amount of ammunition at present an unknown quantity, that the Ethiopians have been able to import in the face of the embargo imposed by several of the big powers.

WHAT DOES RHYTHM
MEAN TO YOU?THE "INIQUITIES" OF
JAZZ EXAMINEDCOMMON MISUNDERSTANDINGS OF
MEANING OF MUSIC

(By Percy Buck, Mus. Doc.)

EVERYWHERE nowadays one hears of the iniquities of jazz, together with the rider that at last it shows signs of dying.

Assuming that the public is tiring of jazz, did any good ever come of abusing a thing of which another man is fond?

Few likes and dislikes (if any) are to be affected by reproach or argument; they must be "grown out of," and I personally, am glad for several reasons if it is true that in the future I shall be condemned to hear less jazz than in the past.

"In the beginning was Rhythm," said a famous musician.

Baby's Thump

We, and most animals, are born with the power of dividing time into equal periods. The baby thumps its pillow or kicks its legs in strict time, and the newly born animal walks or runs about with steps of equal duration.

The most primitive races develop this sense, on tom-toms and similar instruments, to a state of high efficiency; and for thousands of years they have had no other form of music.

It is a definite epoch in the civilisation of a tribe or race when they make the startling discovery that sounds of varying pitch can be superimposed on existing rhythmic units.

thus producing, for the first time, what we would call music. Everyone dislikes the jargon of technical terms, but a good deal of misunderstanding arises from the fact that we make the word rhythm cover too many things.

The division of time into equal parts, with accents placed periodically (as in the "left, right" of a marching regiment) is, in a strict sense, not rhythm at all, but metre.

Left, Right... Rhythm begins with the first disturbance of the metrical pattern, as a curve begins with the first bending of a straight line. After saying "All the world's a stage" Shakespeare continues: "And all the men and women merely players," which is metrical, with the five accents in their normal places.

Having established this pattern, he continues: "They have their exits and their entrances," which is rhythmical because it is a departure from pattern.

"Hey diddle, diddle, the cat and the fiddle" is metrical, but "The cow jumped over the moon" rhythmical. Substitute "bullock" for "cow" and the rhythm disappears.

Now these two aspects of music, the rhythm and the sound (that is to say, the melodic and harmonic aspects) imposed on it have developed continuously since first they were fused together. The rhythm of "Linden Lea" is as far ahead of the little tags played on tom-toms as is the harmony of the "Tannhauser" prelude when compared with early attempt at combining notes.

Small Mark The hall-mark of being educated in music—which does not mean being a "highbrow"—but merely that you can appreciate good music—is the fact that you are not appealed to by music which deliberately ignores this progress and tries to work on the primitive, unsophisticated, elemental instincts.

There is nothing discreditable in liking such a manipulation of sounds—we are all stirred by a bugle-call, though we should not put it in the category of "good music"—but it becomes a potential danger when the bulk of a nation, including those who in other respects would resent being called uneducated, openly avow that this class of music is most worthy of appreciation.

Personally, I would not call jazz music at all. Its harmony, when it is not merely a scaffolding, which is the common property of all, or a borrowed progression from Debussy or Debussy, is crude and unskillful.

No Structure Its structure, the element on which an artist spends so much loving labour, is almost nonexistent—even the little joints between the phrases, known in the trade as "breaks," can be bought at so much a dozen in the Charing Cross-road. And its melodies seem, to a musician, to be all the work of one man repeating himself. But in its rhythm it may claim some merit. Until it came to bore us it was often felt to be original, striking, and seductive.

To musicians the objection to jazz was that it was trying to out the thing that music had come to be, after thousands of years of labour, in favour of something which was so purely an appeal to crude instinct that the primeval savage would, and does, appreciate it.

We would all of us like life to be simple, but simplicity does not mean a return to the raw and uncouth; and though music may be a small thing in the whole apparatus of life, rhythm was a fundamental fact in us in a prehistoric stage. And, whether through jazz or any other modern perversion, few of us really desire to pandering to our animal instincts.

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GOLD IN PERAK

Results Of Geological Survey

PROSPECTING LICENSES APPLIED FOR

Perak has gold as well as tin deposits, and reference is made to them in the report on the State for 1934.

It is stated that a detailed geological survey of that part of the Batang Padang district included on the eastern half of the topographical map-sheet 2 N/13 and on the western half of 2 N/14 was considered necessary, because of the numerous applications to prospect for gold that are being received by the Mines Department, and the work was undertaken by Dr. F. T. Ingham, Mining Geologist.

The figures available indicate that about 4,000 ounces of gold were produced from this district in 1934, mainly from tin-bearing alluvium in the neighbourhood of Klian Bharu, Semoliam and Bidor, and in the valleys of the Sungai Gedong and the Sungai Bidor. Auriferous alluvium, with little or no tin ore, is also being worked near Bruseh.

During the survey, flakes of gold were found in stream-concentrate of the Sungai Mas, of Anak Sungai Jangka and of Anak Sungai Chepor. Gold stealing once was prevalent in the Sungai Mas, but it is unfortunate that the mining point of view that the deposits are near to Malay small holdings.

The evidence so far collected indicates that the gold is derived from quartz-veins near the contact of main range granite with metamorphosed sediments, and from quartz-veins near the contact of those parts of the isolated Changkat Rembian granite intrusion that have been foliated by shearing.

Gold-bearing vein-quartz in situ has not been found in quantity sufficient for milling, but in mines near Semoliam, excavation of the weathered bedrock, phyllite and foliated granite, underlying auriferous sands, yields some primary gold which adds its quota to the total output.

"FRESHMEN" AMONG POLICE

To Perform Service On Beats

NEW REGULATIONS DRAFTED

London. Lord Trenchard has given his approval to a plan for a finishing course drawn up for the London Police College students who last month were drafted to West-end police stations.

This is how they will spend the first twelve months in the Service:

Four months as a constable in uniform;

Two as a section sergeant; Two as a station sergeant; and

Four months with the C.I.D., during which time they will have to spend periods in the Criminal Record Office, the Finger Print department and with the Flying Squad wireless section.

Their Beat. When they have completed this finishing course their appointments as junior station inspectors will come up for confirmation.

During the 12 months the students will be expected to stay in the large house in Cambridge-villas, Bayswater, which is being converted by the Metropolitan Police authorities into a finishing school and club.

When they have finished walking their beat during the first four months, students will return to the club, where there will be frequent lectures and debates upon their daily experiences.

Exemptions

Lord Trenchard has agreed that students who were already in the police force before entering the college need not go back to street duty. Other work will be allocated to them for their first four months.

Among the men who will be walking a beat within the next few weeks are two Cambridge undergraduates and 12 ex-public school boys.



Cora Sue Collins, aged 7, the baby film star, saw her family broken up in a Los Angeles court, where her mother, shown with her, obtained a divorce when she told how the husband and father had arrived in California from West Virginia with another woman.

BONES FROM THE BRONZE AGE

Inquest On Ancient Irish Chieftain

LIVED BETWEEN 3,000 AND 4,000 YEARS AGO

Although human remains found at Mullaghneish Mountain, near Londonderry, were estimated to be more than 3,000 years old, an inquest was held on them recently.

They are believed to be those of an Irish chieftain of the Bronze Age. They were in a bowl-shaped urn buried in a stone vault-like structure in a bog.

The jury's verdict was "Unknown cremated human remains placed in a food vessel dating back to the latter part of the early half of the Bronze Age, probably 3,500 to 3,700 years ago."

Dr. A. G. Martin, the coroner, said that the urn and remains had been taken to the municipal museum at Belfast, but he decided, in view of the difficulty of establishing ownership, which might arise later, to hold an inquest. In consequence, he served a warrant on the museum curator for their return. He thought that the police should have custody of the remains until ownership was established.

IMPROVED CANNING OF PINEAPPLES

Malayan Experiments To Be Undertaken

GOVERNMENT FINANCE FOR RESEARCH

Improved canning methods in the Malayan pineapple industry are to be experimented with, according to a report of the Colonial Development Advisory Committee issued in London recently.

To accomplish this the committee recommends that a grant be made to the governments of the Straits Settlements, the Federated Malay States and Johore on condition that they contribute a like sum toward research on the improvement of canning methods in this industry.

More than 60,000 acres of land in that part of the world are devoted to pineapple production, about 40,000 acres of which are in Johore. The bulk of the fruit is canned and exported.

CHILD DOG-LOVER OF STONE AGE

2,000-year-Old Grave Discovered

A child dog-lover of 2,000 years ago has been uncovered at Hettstedt, Central Germany.

Workers enlarging the cellars of a local wine-merchant came upon a flat gravestone and under it the skeleton of a child and a dog.

Experts pronounce the find to be the work of "Stone Age" mourners.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Two cases of diphtheria, two cases of typhoid fever and one case of meningitis were reported as having occurred in the Colony during the 48 hours ended October 10.

The s.s. Talma, which left Singapore on Thursday afternoon, is due here next Tuesday morning and will leave for Shanghai and Japan next Thursday at daylight.

A Tea Dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-morrow at 4.30 p.m. A half-hourly bus service will operate during the afternoon.

A Dinner Dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-day. The last bus will leave Repulse Bay at 1 a.m.

MEGALITHS FOUND IN MALTA

Discovery By R.A.F. Officer

The discovery of the ruins of a minor megalithic building at Mellieha Bay, Malta, is recorded in the annual report of the Museum Department, Malta. Flight Lieutenant Forbes Bentley had seen the remains and reported them to the museum authorities. The megaliths are disposed so as to form three circular enclosures which open on a rectangular space. The largest stone stands over 5ft. out of the ground. Stone age potsherds and fragments of implements were picked up among the stones.

During the year various rock tombs were discovered on the island. At Ghajn Qajjed a farmer who was cutting stone to construct a water tank in a field. The catacomb was reached by a few steps leading to a passage 16ft. long, at the end of which was a partly destroyed Agape table and two arcosolia. Further ahead was a rock tomb.

PILFERERS FROM A CHURCH

To Be Kept Locked In Future

London. This notice appears on the door of Totteridge parish church, Herts.

"Owing to the mischief of mean-minded marauders and perverted petty pilferers, we have been reluctantly compelled to keep this church locked during the week. Honest and respectable folk may obtain the key at the vicarage."

Perfect Epidemic. The notice is signed by the vicar, the Rev. J. Edgar D. Pratt. He said:

"We have had a perfect epidemic of pilferers. We have always kept the door open, but just lately the 'missionary' box has been wrenched open and the money taken and there has been all sorts of petty stupid damage."

To-day's Short Story

Madame Treflet's Illness

By Germaine Beaumont

MME. TREFLET came back from her visit to Mme. Angerot and went on with the course of her everyday affairs, which were many: the affairs, in the provinces, of a woman of fifty-five, mother of three grown daughters, wife of a minor official, and mistress of a small house with a courtyard and garden.

She went on with her affairs, which consisted in darning the stockings of her youngest daughter Renee after having prepared the vegetables for the soup, cleaned the greasemarks from M. Treflet's (Antoine's) waistcoat, and tidied the papers of her second daughter, Reine, who did typewriting at home and always left everything all over the place.

Accordingly, when the eldest daughter Juliette, a teacher of the piano, came home the first of the family, in a bad temper as usual, for she liked neither teaching nor the children she taught, she had no reason to think that everything was not going on in the ordinary way. Nor had M. Treflet. Nor had Reine, who had been to deliver some work; nor Renee, who came from the superintended studies of the local boarding school. And they all sat down at table in the ordinary way, finding it natural that everything was as it was, the house straight, the clothes ready for the next day, the soup hot, and the meal well cooked.

But in the completeness of this daily order there was a crack. Mme. Treflet, who rose from the table to fetch some dessert from

the sideboard (it occurred to nobody to get up and do it instead of her)—Mme. Treflet, then, gave a faint sigh, put a hand to her breast, closed her eyes, and fell to the floor.

"What's this?" said Antoine Treflet, as if his faithful wife had suddenly abandoned herself to a noxious eccentricity. "What's happened to you, Felicité?"

Mme. Treflet made no answer. And Reine, who had run to her mother's help and was supporting her head and calling to her, got no answer either.

MONDAY'S STORY

Monday's story will be "Live Bait," by John D. Morse.

"She was feeling faint," announced the matter-of-fact Juliette. "Make her drink something, Reine."

But she spoke without moving. The fact was that she did not know what to do, and would have gone on sitting at the table if Reine had not taken matters in hand.

"Run up and see if her room is ready, Juliette. I think it would be better to put her to bed."

"Ought we to get a doctor?" asked Renee, who was deeply disturbed, at fourteen, by Mme. Treflet's stillness.

"For a touch of giddiness? Don't talk nonsense!" said M. Treflet. "She'll have forgotten all about it by to-morrow."

Reine and Renee helped him to get Mme. Treflet upstairs. Then there was a general movement to provide her with every possible comfort that would put an end to the malady. But it was a malady that lasted unpleasantly, for the two eldest Treflet girls had to share the odious business of clearing away, washing up, and bringing in chairs from the garden.

Reine, seated at the foot of her mother's bed, did her lessons and kept watch on the invalid. From time to time she asked: "Do you feel better, mother?" Mme. Treflet, whose eyes were open again at last, looked at her a little vaguely and without answering; but at least she looked at her in a way that seemed to show that they need have no more alarm.

In which they were quite wrong, for the next day Mme. Treflet gave no sign of improvement, in the sense that she did not get up at six o'clock to light the stove and prepare to feed her family.

In this unheard-of state of affairs Juliette agreed to buy the provisions for the household and Reine to cook them, with the result that at midday they all sat down, minus Mme. Treflet, to a revolting meal.

Whereupon M. Treflet's meanness gave way to his love of good food. To cure as quickly as possible so incomparable a housewife as he now knew Mme. Treflet to be, it was well worth paying for a doctor. But the doctor, who came in the afternoon, avoided saying anything definite. He spoke of getting run down, of overwork, and prescribed a few days in bed.

"What's to become of us?" groaned Juliette.

"Suppose we got a daily woman."

M. Treflet would not hear of it. Out of the four women in the house there were still three sound ones. They could share the work among them. He would lend a hand himself to water the garden, fetch wine and coal from the cellar. A common aim was everything Juliette would do the shopping. Reine the cooking, Renee would help with the housework.

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MEMORIAL TO LAWRENCE OF ARABIA

A plaque has been placed on the wall of 13, Birmingham-street, Southampton, where "Lawrence of Arabia" rented a back bedroom for many months while employed as Aircraftman T. E. Shaw, on R.A.F. duties at the British Power Boat Co.'s works at Hythe. It bears the following inscription in gold: "T. E. Shaw, Lawrence of Arabia, July, 1933-November, 1934."

RAZOR-BLADES OF GLASS

Problems Solved By Czech Invention

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UNIQUE CHAIR FOR LONDON

Work Of Australian Twelve-Year-Old

A chair covered with stamps of all nations, some of them of considerable value, was in the hold of the Orient liner Orsova which reached Plymouth on August 26 from Australia. It is the most treasured possession of Betty Murman, an Australian girl of twelve, who sent it to England in the hope that the King, who is an enthusiastic stamp collector, might interest himself in it. The chair was to be handed over to the representative of the High Commissioner for Australia when the liner reaches London.

LOVERS REUNITED

Together After Long Years Of Separation

Miss Mary Anne Hoy, aged 67, and Mr. Philip Jay, aged 53, were married at Horsell, near Woking, recently, after 40 years' delay. In the 'nineties they "walked out together," but parental opposition was very strong. Mary's parents sent her away to work; she was forbidden to see her sweetheart. The long years passed. Three months ago Mary received a letter from Philip. He had discovered her address. And now they are married.



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H.K. Volunteer Defence Corps

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hong Kong Volunteer Defence
Corps Orders by Lieut-Colonel H.
B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E. Comman-
dant, Hong Kong Volunteer De-
fence Corps.

Hong Kong.

Friday, 11th October, 1935.

GENERAL COURSES

No. 1066, Sergt. G. G. Stopani-
Thomson, No. 2 (Scottish) Com-
pany, attended the 53 Q Course at
the Small Arms School, Nether-
von and obtained a "Q.1" Qual-
ification.

DRESS

Referee Circular: Dress/4—
Other Ranks—Fighting Order—
"A" for "Chin-Strap worn up"
substitutes "Chin-Straps worn
down," after puttees insert "Hose-
tops."

PARADE

Corps 1st Battery
Camps—The 1st Battery will
go into Camp at Stonecutters
Island from 6th March to 8th
March and from 13th March to
15th March, 1936.

Parade at Volunteer Headquar-
ters on Thursday, 17th October
1935 at 5.30 p.m.
Dress—Overalls and Blue
Caps.

Corps Engineers

Parade on Monday, 14th Octo-
ber, 1935 at Miniature Range at
5.30 p.m.

Sunday, 20th October, 1935—
R.E. Sunday Church Parade. Fall
in on Wellington Barracks Parade
Ground at 8.30 a.m. sharp.
Dress—Review Order.

Particular of seating accom-
modation for wives and families
should be forwarded by Monday,
October, 14th.

Corps Signals

Parade at Volunteer Headquar-
ters at 5.30 p.m. on—
Tuesday 15.10.35 for Signals
Instruction.

Thursday 17.10.35 for Arms
Drill.

Armoured Car Section

Section will parade at Volun-
teer Headquarters on Tuesday,
15th October, 1935 at 5.20 p.m.
sharp.

To fire Part I Vickers Gun
Training on Kennedy Road
Range—L/Cpl. Butler, Privates
Davies, Rigg, Walker, Scoones,
Strickland and Lafford.

Remainder of Section—Driv-
ing practice.
Note—All members are re-
quested to keep the forenoon of
Sunday, 20th October, 1935 free
for the firing of Machine Gun
Classification, Part II on Stone-
cutters Range.

Details will be issued later.
Motor Machine Gun Section
Parade at Volunteer Headquar-
ters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 14th
October, 1935 for Machine Gun
Instruction.

Parade at Volunteer Headquar-
ters at 5.30 p.m. on Wednesday,
16th October, 1935 for Driving
Instruction.

No. 1 (M.G.) Company
Parade at Volunteer Headquar-
ters at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, 18th
October, 1935.

Details will be given in the cir-
cular sent to individual members
of the Company.

No. 3 (M.G.) Company
Parade for M.G. Instruction at
Volunteer Headquarters on Mon-
day, 14th October, 1935 at 5.30
p.m.

Dress—Multi no equipment
Promotions & Appointments
with effect from 11th October,
1935.

To be Corporals—
L/Corporal V. H. White, No.
1753.

A/L/Corpl. E. Gubbay, No.
1538.
Private S. V. Gittins, No. 1358.
Private E. J. M. Churn, No.
2363.

To be L/Corporals—
No. 2182—Pte. E. Porter.
No. 1878—Pte. E. C. Fincher.
No. 1708—Pte. G. S. Finch.
No. 1886—Pte. G. J. White.
No. 1903—Pte. C. Cauvin.
No. 1957—Pte. J. F. C. Mackay.
No. 1959—Pte. D. J. Willis.
No. 2092—Pte. N. Broadbridge.

Corps Infantry
Stonecutters Range—
This range is allotted to Corps
Infantry on Sunday, October 13th.

The whole Company (excluding
men who have not yet fired ball
ammunition) will fire Part II
Musketry. All ranks are urged to
attend so that the fullest use may
be made of our allotment of the
range for the Winter Training
Season.

Range Officers—
Lieut. F. P. Sequeira.
Launch leaves Queen's Pier at
8.15 a.m. and Kowloon at 8.30 a.m.
Parade at Volunteer Headquar-
ters on Tuesday, 15th October
1935 at 5.30 p.m. Details as per
appendix.

N.C.O.'s Examinations—
Examinations commence Tues-
day, 15th October in the Lecture
Room, Volunteer Headquarters.
Platoon Commanders will submit
to O. C. Corps Infantry names of
N.C.O.s and men ready to sit.

Dress—Drill Order, Rifle and
Bayonet.

Transfer—No. 1143, Pte. M. A.
Baptista is transferred from "B"
(A.A.L.A.) Company to No. 11
Platoon "A" (Rifle) Company.

APPENDIX
Category—A & B and A.A.L.A.
Company Classes I & II. Lesson.
Lewis Gun—Care & Cleaning
S.A.T. Vol. II, pp. 38-46. Points
before, during and after firing
p. 52-57. Location—Headquar-
ters.

C. & D. Visual Training and
Recognition Indication of Targets.
S.A.T. Vol. I, p. 190-202. Head-
quarters.

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Miniature Range.

AIR-ARM—GROUND TRAINING
Parade in Miniature Range at
Volunteer Headquarters at 5.30
p.m. on Thursday, 17th October,
1935.

KENNEDY ROAD RANGE—
ALLOTMENT
Armoured Car Section—Tues-
day, 15th October, 1935.

TRANSFER
No. 2172, Pte. W. Sharp is
transferred from No. 1 (M.G.)
Company to No. 2 (Scottish) Com-
pany with effect from 11th Octo-
ber, 1935.

LEAVE
Lieut. D. L. Strellett, O. C. Re-
serve Company "B" returned from
leave on 4th October, 1935.

No. 1466, Pipe Major W. C. K.
Mackie, (No. 2 Scottish) Com-
pany, returned from leave on 2nd
October, 1935.

No. 212, Pte. H. Balem, Re-
serve Company, returned from
leave on 7th September, 1935.

No. 1495, L/Corporal J. M.
Oliveira, No. 9 Platoon, Corps In-
fantry, granted sick leave as from
4.10.35 to 10.12.35.

STUCK OFF THE STRENGTH
Permitted To Resign
No. 2253, Gunner U. Azollini,
1st Battery, as from 30.9.35.

SECTION "B" RESERVE
Enlistment
Private A. Summersell, 410.35
allotted Regimental No. B/6.

STRENGTH
No. 2422, Sapper F. Houghton,
Corps Engineers, 7.10.35.

No. 2427, Tpr. J. F. Houghton,
Corps Engineers, 7.10.35.

No. 2422, Pte. E. Zimmern, No.
3 (M.G.) Coy. 7.10.35.

No. 2423, Pte. F. R. Zimmern,
No. 3 (M.G.) Coy. 7.10.35.

No. 2424, Pte. C. Becker, No. 3
(M.G.) Coy. 7.10.35.

No. 2425, Pte. G. L. Lindblom,
No. 3 (M.G.) Coy. 7.10.35.

No. 2426, Pte. D. P. ruertes,
Corps Inf. 9 Ptn. 7.10.35.

No. 2429, Pte. A. F. Ferreira,
Corps Inf. 9 Ptn. 8.10.35.

No. 2330, Pte. M. M. Gutierrez,
Corps Inf. 10 Ptn. 8.10.35.

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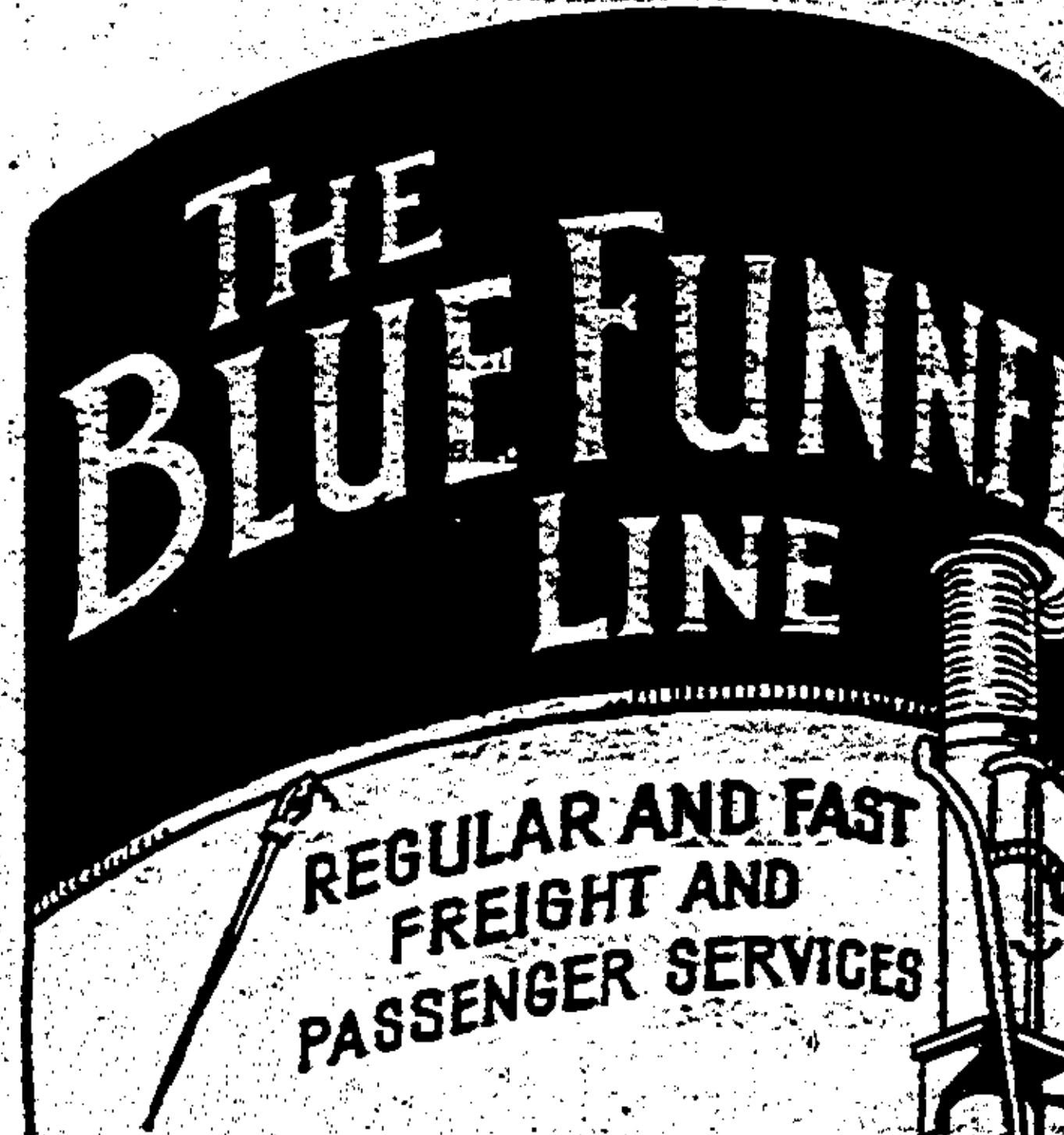
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How they escaped from three bull elephants, which charged them from sixty yards' range, was related by Major P. V. G. van der Byl, a Cambridge rowing Blue, and his companion, Mr. Cumming, a farmer.

The two men were hunting in the Matetsi area of Southern Rhodesia, about 100 miles from Victoria Falls. They wounded an elephant, and the next day began to follow it up.

Major van der Byl and Mr. Cumming kept on the track of the wounded elephant for 125 miles, and after getting off the track several times they came up with it on the fifth day.

Sudden Charge

The elephant, an old bull, had now been joined by two other bulls. Without any warning one of the animals charged down on the hunters. They stopped the charge and followed the elephants again.

The next thing the two men knew was that the three infuriated elephants were charging down on them from about 60 yards away. Major van der Byl and his companion fired as quickly as possible, and the animals dropped dead only about 30 yards away.

The three elephants were killed with shots.

Well-Known M.P.

Major van der Byl is M.P. for Bredasdorp in the Union House of Assembly.

In addition to rowing for Cambridge in the 1911 Boat Race, he was prominent in boxing and shooting circles both in England and South Africa.

BRITAIN'S RECORD GRANDMOTHER

Grandchild Fed With Her Own Baby

UNCLES BORN TWO YEARS AFTER NEPHEW

A thirty-eight-year-old London woman is believed to be the youngest grandmother in Britain. She is Mrs. Dorothy Lewis, of Vaughan-road, Camberwell, S.E. Since becoming a grandmother two years ago she herself has given birth to twin boys.

This is believed to be a British record for grandmothers.

Mother Of 11

Mrs. Lewis is now the mother of eleven children. All are handsome and healthy. Her eldest child Irene aged 21, presented her with her only grandchild two years ago.

"Ronald, my grandchild, was born about the same time as my daughter Catherine," Mrs. Lewis told a "Sunday Express" representative recently.

"Irene had to go out to work soon after Ronald's birth, so I fed him with Catherine."

And Catherine is actually Ronald's aunt!

Madame Treflet's Illness

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The second lecture in Home Nursing will be given at Volunteer Headquarters (Lecture Room) at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 17th October, 1935.

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The girls say that they appreciate the idea.

They would each look after their own rooms, and they would take it in turns to do the kitchen, parlour, dining-room, and Mme. Treflet's bedroom.

They each complained a great deal, but none of them seemed to notice a simple and self-evident fact, which was that Mme. Treflet by herself had always done the work which the four of them now only managed to do with difficulty.

"This can't go on for long," each of them thought, wishing ardently that Mme. Treflet would get better. But no doubt this natural wish was prompted by selfish motives, for Mme. Treflet showed no symptoms of getting better. She lay there with her eyes closed most of the time, without fever, without a cough, without any recognisable ailment, but in a state of such utter lassitude that it left everybody dismayed. And the doctor refused to commit himself. He was keeping his patient under observation.

During this time Reine learnt to cook and to manage the kitchen. Juliette to sew and to do shopping. Renee to lay the table and to wash up, and M. Treflet to garden and to fetch and carry in the house.

A year later Mme. Angerot was sitting at Mme. Treflet's bedside. They had now changed places, for when Mme. Angerot was ill it was Mme. Treflet who had come to keep her neighbour company. They were alone, and Mme. Angerot was commiserating with the invalid.

"My poor Felicite, to think that you've been like this for a year! And no one knows what it is. . . I admire the way you take it. I must say."

Mme. Treflet smiled slightly. And in the effortless voice that she used now, a regular sultana's voice, she murmured:

"But I know what it is." "Good gracious! You've never said anything!"

"Not to anyone else, no. But to you. . . And I know that you won't let it get about."

Mme. Angerot, perplexed, moved nearer to the bed, which was soft and beautifully covered and surrounded with everything that could add to the comfort of being in it.

"Well?"

"It's to do with you, as a matter of fact," Mme. Treflet went on. "A year ago I came to see you when you were ill. I was struck with the air of restfulness that seemed to come from you. Everybody was busy round you, but you were doing nothing. Nothing was expected from you. No effort, no work, no help. No one harassed you. They accepted your stillness. I said to myself: 'For twenty-five years I've been wearing myself out for my family. They don't even notice it. Suppose I tried this.' And I tried it. And I've found that it works very well, as you see. At first they looked after me unwillingly. But now they have learnt to manage for themselves. They can do without me. And they spoil me."

"But," exclaimed Mme. Angerot at last, "now that it's got to this state how will you ever set about getting better?"

"What makes you think that I'm going to get better?" asked Mme. Treflet placidly.

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WOMAN BITTEN BY DOG

Later Dies Of Shock

INQUEST VERDICT

London.
A woman who was bitten by a "small and playful dog" died four days later as the result of the shock.

This was revealed at an inquest recently at the Central Middlesex Hospital, Park Royal, on Miss Mary Mason, aged 75, of Colville-road, South Acton.

It was stated that she was bitten by the dog and became unconscious while waiting for the ambulance to take her to hospital; she died later without recovering consciousness.

Dog Destroyed

The owner of the dog, a neighbour, said it was small and playful, and it had never bitten anybody before.

It was destroyed the day after the occurrence.

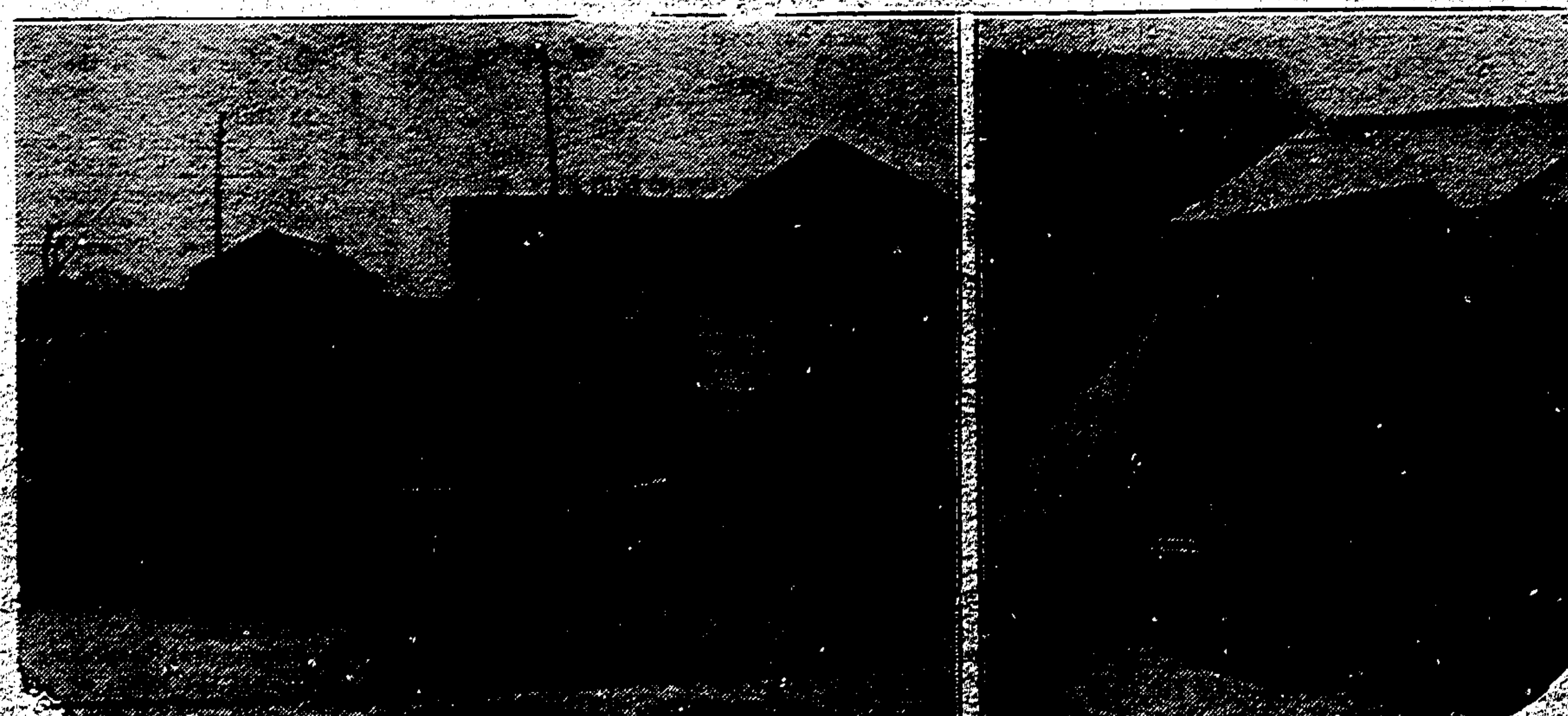
Dr. Abdullah, medical officer at the hospital, attributed death to cerebral hemorrhage brought on by shock, due to the bite of a dog.

Bad Luck

The Coroner (Dr. Crane).—Do you believe that if it had not been for the bite and the shock this person would have been alive and in good health to-day?

The Doctor.—I do.

The coroner said it seemed to be a case of sheer bad luck. He could not bring in a verdict against the dog. All he could do was to return a verdict of Death from Misadventure.



New pictures from the town of Tampabay on the Florida Keys show a single structure was left standing on its original site after a tropical hurricane ripped through the district causing heavy property damage and much loss of life last month. These photographs show some of the wrecked buildings and were snapped while the wind was still racing through the town.

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ITALIAN STRENGTH
 Berlin: The strength of the Italian forces who in three columns began the advance on October 3 into Abyssinian is stated to aggregate 110,000 men with 2,300 machine guns, 230 cannon, 22 tanks, and 35,000 horses and mules, according to a report yesterday by a semi-official German news agency's special correspondent at the Italian front in northern Abyssinia.

The report adds that each Italian detachment is accompanied by experts familiar with Abyssinian conditions and whose entrusted task is propagating Italian aims among the native population.

These experts are mostly former askaris who served in the Italian colonial army and subsequently settled in the border districts.

DELEGATE AT FRONT
 Addis Ababa: Tired of cooling his heels at Geneva and burning with ardour to be at the front, the Abyssinian delegate to the League of Nations, who is one of Abyssinia's most capable generals and a graduate of the former Imperial Russian Military Academy at St. Petersburg, has repeatedly requested the Emperor to recall him from Geneva and entrust him with a military command.

It is now announced that the Emperor has complied with the request.

ALLEGED DESERTION
 Rome: On Thursday the Abyssinian General, Haile Selassie Gussa, who is commanding the eastern section in the Tigre region, on the northern front, went over to the Italian side with several thousand troops, according to an Italian report from the front. It issued yesterday from the Propaganda Ministry. Gussa is known

to be a personal enemy of Ras Seyoum, the Commander-in-Chief of the northern army.

Gussa's action, continues the report, was shortly afterwards followed by Ras Kassa Araya with his men.

The list of casualties published for the first four days of the fighting gives the number of dead at 30, of which five are Italians, 70 wounded, 20 being Italians, and 33 native soldiers missing.

One field gun, one machine gun, 134 rifles and 30 ammunition containers have been captured from the enemy, but the report, however, makes no mention of prisoners.

No military action has been reported for the two days which have elapsed since the last report, it being merely stated that various vanguard skirmishes have occurred, that communications have been consolidated, and that the construction of roads continues and that the water supply problem has been overcome.

On the southern front, states the report, numerous desertions of Abyssinian troops to the Italian colours have taken place, asserting on the other hand that the reports by the foreign press of the desertion of Italian native troops are untrue.

It is also untrue, it is added, that an Italian aeroplane was brought down near Aksum. Within the next few days, the report concludes, the Italian headquarters will be transferred to occupied territory—Trans-Ocean Service.

ADOWA SKIRMISHES
 Geneva: It is reported that the Italian right wing, under General Maravigna, is holding the heights and valleys around Adowa.

Skirmishing is taking place on all the fronts.

The frontier of Eritrea formed by the Setiti-Takaze river was the scene of repeated attacks by the warlike Abyssinian tribes on the Italian native troops.

From the Italian side exact statements of their own losses are still unobtainable, the reason given being that many in the propaganda Ministry. Gussa is known

AMAZING LOCAL PASSENGER FIGURES

K. C. R. Records Shattered During
 Double Tenth Holidays

Although it was expected that the "Double Tenth" and the previous day would result in very heavy bookings on the Kowloon Canton Railway, it nevertheless came as a surprise when the total number of passengers carried during these days was estimated at the imposing figure of 27,662—10,987 more than the former record, which was during the King's Jubilee Celebrations on May 4 and May 5, when 16,705 passengers were carried. Of this number 22,068 travelled in the direction of Canton.

RECORD OF LONG SERVICE

Seventy-Two Years In
 One Family

BURIED BY ONE WHOM SHE
 HAD NURSED

A woman who was in the service of one family for 72 years was the subject of an inquest at Kingston, Surrey, recently. She was Miss Ellen Kate Green, 87, who died from the effects of falling and breaking her arm.

She was 15 when she entered the service of the late Rev. F. S. and Mrs. Dale, at Birmingham; and she nursed their 10 children. After the death of Mr. and Mrs. Dale she remained with a son and daughter, Mr. R. D. Dale and Miss Beatrice Dale, at Cobham, Surrey, until her death.

Mr. R. Dale said he believed her length of service was a record.

A verdict of accidental death was returned.

At the funeral which followed the inquest there were present six of the children she had nursed, and one, the Rev. F. A. Dale, rector of Hunton, Kent, officiated.

NOTED SCULPTOR AS BANDIT

Suspect Arrested In
 Church

The Lithuanian sculptor, Mr. Alexander Klemans, aged 57, was arrested recently in a church where he was working on a memorial tablet.

Incredible as it seemed to admirers of the artist, the police declare that Klemans is the leader of a band of 20 robbers who terrorised the district between Telschi and Tauraggen where they not only waylaid and robbed travellers, but also murdered their victims with the most revolting brutality.

FINANCIAL QUESTION UNDER REVIEW

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credits, as well as the cessation of all import and export trade with Italy.

The Co-ordinating Committee, it is affirmed in British quarters, is in full agreement that complete measures must be applied with the utmost speed.—Trans-Ocean Service.

DOG'S WOODEN LEG

A dog belonging to Mr. Legarde, a milkman of Iwer Heath, Bucks, has been fitted with a wooden leg in place of one amputated after the animal had been run over by a car.

Lion engaged in the last battle are still missing.

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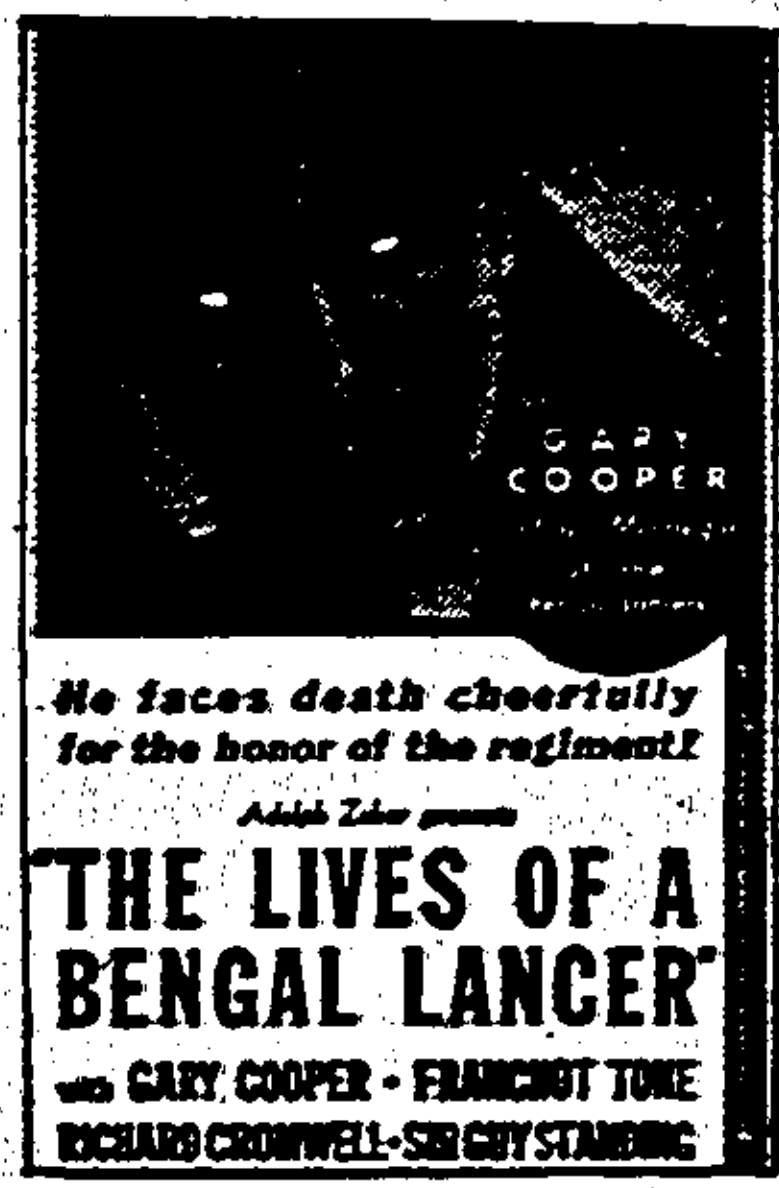
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